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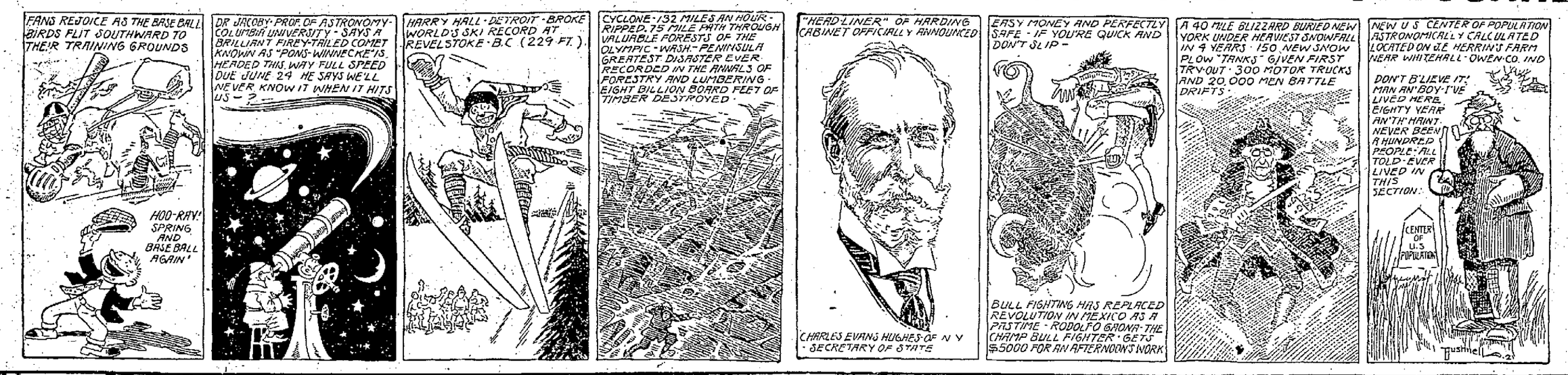
## CURRENT EVENTS OF THE WEEK IN PICTURE FORM AS SEEN BY ARTIST BUSHNELL




# PANAMA THREATENED WITH INVASION BY COSTA RICAN ARMY

## THEO. ROOSEVELT, JR. TO BE ASSISTANT TO NAVAL SECRETARY DENBY

ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA., February 26.—Definite announcement was made by President-elect Harding today that he had selected Edwin Denby, of Detroit, for secretary of the navy, and Theodore Roosevelt, son of the former president, for assistant secretary, both have accepted.

The announcement followed a long conference between the president-elect and Mr. Denby at which the naval program of the next administration was discussed in its possible relation to the movement for world disarmament. Details of the decisions reached were not revealed, but Mr. Harding said afterward that he wanted to see the present naval build-

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## RAILWAY MAIL CLERK IS SLAIN BY BANDITS

PITTSBURGH, PA., February 26.—J. L. McCullough, aged 28, a government railway mail clerk, was found beaten unconscious at the Pennsylvania railroad station by fellow employes a few minutes before the train was scheduled to leave Union station for Washington, Pa. Two pouches of mail are reported missing.

McCullough died in a hospital here this afternoon.

McCullough resides at Waynesburg, Pa.

The postal inspector said that the bandits had gathered the loose registered mail, the value of which he said probably will run high, and made their escape.

CANTON, O., February 26.—A brick was hurled through a display window at the Merritt Company's jewelry store in the heart of the city's business district shortly before daylight this morning and $300 worth of watches and rings stolen.

TOLEDO, O., February 26.—Four bandits late yesterday attacked Mrs. Peter Jacobs in her home and robbed her of $4,000 worth of diamands and $50.

TOLEDO, O., February 26.—Bandits who robbed the Central post office secured $731,450 worth of negotiable liberty bonds, post office officials announced.

### HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

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## Nations Of World In Frenzy Of Ship Building

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 26.—A period of intense competition in world shipping was foreseen today by the federal reserve board in a survey of foreign and domestic shipping conditions. As a result of over-production, the board said, there probably will be for a time an excess of ships above the immediate needs of commerce.

Shipping interests already are realizing, the board declared, that production of shipping has been in excess of present needs. Reports are coming from abroad, the board said, of cancellation of ship building contracts on a considerable scale in several countries.

"This would indicate," the board states, "that for the time being at least, the peak of ship building in foreign countries as well as in the United States, has passed."

Discussing the shipping situation among the various foreign nations, the board declared that the expansion of the ship building industry in Great Britain since the war "seems to have taken hold of the imagination of the other nations of the world."

Japan, which was hardly a factor before the war, the board said, is now in the front rank as a ship builder, while Holland, which has always been a ship building nation, is turning out tonnage faster than ever before. France and Italy have laid out a number of new yards.

The same condition applies to other nations, it was said, especially the Scandinavian group.

"In fact, most of the nations of the world," the board said, "seem to be making extraordinary efforts toward securing a definite and larger share in the world's carrying trade. This condition has already been reflected in sweeping cuts in ocean rates in the past few months."

## Negotiations Between Harding And Hoover Unique In U. S. History

BY ROBERT T. SMALL
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ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla. Feb. 25—The negotiations between President-Elect and Herbert C. Hoover were unique in the history of the make-up of American cabinets. Mr. Hoover in deliberating the acceptance of a portfolio in the Harding official family had asked that he be informed in advance as to just what the Harding policies were to be. Mr. Harding found this not altogether to his liking but the pressure for the appointment of a man of the Hoover stripe in the cabinet was so strong the President-Elect was willing to stop and consider the right of Mr. Hoover to ask this question.

Mr. Harding admitted the right of a man to ask the policies to which he would be committed before accepting appointment in a cabinet and he also felt that a President-Elect had a right to know the definite views of a man about to become a member of the cabinet.

**Negotiations Not One-Sided**

This has accounted for the numerous telephonic conversations between Mr. Harding and Mr. Hoover. The negotiations were not one-sided by any means.

"Naturally," said Senator Harding in discussing the matter, "many considerations enter into a question of this sort. It is necessary that a President and his cabinet should be in complete accord. Mr. Hoover wanted to know a number of things and I, too, wanted to know a number of things. There are considerations on both sides, and it took time to adjust

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## Champ Clark Recovers From The Pleurisy

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 26.—Representative Champ Clark, of Missouri, practically has recovered from the attack of pleurisy which has confined him to his bed for the past ten days, his physician, Dr. Jesse Shoup, announced today.

## Soldiers' Bonus Bill Reported To Senate

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 26.—With the tax provisions eliminated, the soldiers' bonus bill was reported to the senate today by the finance committee. The cash bonus would be payable January 1, 1923.

The question of taxes to meet the cost of the bill was left for the next congress. Aside from striking out the tax provision, the committee made little changes in the house bill, retaining the five options of a cash bonus based on length of service, deferred certificates, farm and home aid and vocational training.

Use of the interest on the $10,000,000,000 of American war loans to the allies in financing the adjusted compensation for former service men is one of the plans under consideration by congress.

## Auto And Street Car Bandits Captured

ELIZABETH, N. J., February 26.—Three men believed by the police to be automobile bandits who have stolen fifteen machines in Union county recently were captured by a sheriff's posse at Kenilworth today. The capture followed hill and dale chase after a trolley car had been held up here.

Besides the automobile thefts, police said, the men are believed to have been responsible for three recent street car hold-ups in which conductors and passengers were robbed of $3,000.

## BANK CLERK WALKS AWAY WITH BONDS; IS CAPTURED

DECATUR, ILL., Feb. 26—William Dalton, who robbed a Chicago bank of $772,000 in liberty bonds Thursday, was captured at Heyworth, 28 miles north of here, according to Jack Draper, constable. He had all but $500 worth of the bonds in a grip.

According to the city marshal, who talked to the Decatur Review over the telephone, Dalton came to Heyworth in an automobile from Bloomington, Illinois, with another man. Dalton is being held at the Draper home awaiting word from Chicago. He was arrested in a pool hall by Draper, who recognized him from photographs in Chicago papers.

Dalton told Draper that he took the bonds because his salary was too small, that he had asked for a raise and it had been refused him. He said he was sorry that he had taken the bonds and that "it does not pay."

CHICAGO, February 26.—Two clues to the flight of William Dalton, 17-year old bank clerk, who escaped Thursday from the Northern Trust Bank with $772,000 in liberty bonds, the largest bank robbery in Chicago's history, were being traced by police today.

The youth, who Thursday night drove up to a garage in Waukegan, Northshore suburb of Chicago, and asked to leave his automobile all night, was identified as Dalton. He then went down the street to the Salvation Army hotel, and asked to be allowed to sleep there, saying he was "broke."

Search of the roads leading north from Waukegan had disclosed no trace of the youth early today.

A young man identified as Dalton attempted to purchase an automobile from a South side dealer, offering liberty bonds in payment. The salesman refused to accept them. The young man's companion gave the name of John Oblinski, and an address which later proved to be false.

Investigation of Dalton's home life and associates, threw no light on the

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**Tomato Jelly Salad With Walnuts**

One large size can tomatoes, one-half box granulated gelatine, 1 teaspoon grated onion, 1 teaspoon chopped parsley, salt, pepper and a tablespoon sharp vinegar.

Cook the tomatoes, onion and parsley together ten minutes, then rub through a sieve and add the gelatine, soaked in cold water for a few moments, and the vinegar. Reheat until the gelatine is well dissolved, pour into wet molds, chill for several hours, then turn out on lettuce leaves, and serve with a halved walnut on each mold. Mayonnaise dressing should be passed with this salad.

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## WHOLESALE ISSUANCE OF FORGED PASSPORTS TO GET ALIENS INTO U. S.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The conference report on the immigration bill was adopted today by the house and senate and the measure sent to the president. It would limit immigration for fifteen months from next April 1 to three per cent of the nationals of the various countries who were in the United States at the time of the 1910 census.

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 26.—Forged papers to enable undesirable and dangerous aliens to enter the United States are being issued in almost every European country, it was announced today at the state department.

An investigation conducted by American consular offices abroad has shown the department's statement said, that passport swindlers have been operating on a wholesale scale.

Gangs have been detected with counterfeit passports in their possession; also rubber stamps with forged signatures of American consular offices and counterfeit fee stamps and seals.

The investigations have been conducted by the consular offices in Poland, Czecho-Slovakia, Austria, France, Italy, Greece and Germany. At one port a bureau was found dealing in forged passports from which 330 such documents had been placed in circulation within one month.

At Rotterdam five false passports were taken from a lot of 35. At Gothenborg, Sweden, 31 fraudulent American vises were found on one American-bound ship.

State department agents also are checking passports in New York and on February 24, 17 cases of aliens endeavoring to enter on false documents were reported. Eight of them came from Poland, seven from Italy, one from Greece and one from England.

## Manhattan Opera House Is To Be Sold

NEW YORK, February 26.—The Manhattan opera house, which Mrs. Oscar Hammerstein has been struggling to preserve as a monument to the operatic genius of her late husband, is to be sold, it was reported here today. It is valued at $1,000,000.

Mrs. Hammerstein's business agent stated that the building was on the market, but Mrs. Hammerstein refused to confirm the announcement, although she admitted she was under "a temporary financial embarrassment." It is said that if the Manhattan does pass from the hands of Mrs. Hammerstein, an attempt will be made to preserve it as a home for opera.

The Chicago Opera Company, under direction of Mary Garden, now is playing at the Manhattan. The San Carlo Opera Company is said to be one bidder for the theater.

## Crude Oil Prices Cut

PITTSBURGH, PA., February 26.—The price of Pennsylvania and other grades of oil were further reduced today, according to announcement made by principal oil purchasing agencies here.

Pennsylvania crude was cut 25 cents a barrel, making the new price $3.00. Cabell was reduced to $1.86; Somerset to $1.65, and Somerset light, to $1.80 a barrel, a reduction of 20 cents on these grades a barrel. Ragland remained unchanged at $1 a barrel.

**RECEIVER FOR OIL COMPANY**

SPRINGFIELD—John N. Garver named receiver for the United Oil Products Co.

## House Unseats Pennsylvanian; Successor Will Draw $3,500 A Day For Six Days Service

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 26.—John R. Farr, Republican, of Scranton, Pa., took his seat in the house today as representative of the tenth Pennsylvania district as the result of action by the house last night in voting to unseat Patrick McLane, also of Scranton, who has held his seat throughout the present congress. Mr. Farr will draw $21,000 salary and incidental expenses for the six days he will serve in the house.

After the house voted 161 to 121 to remove McLane, the new member was immediately declared elected and was sworn in just before midnight. The proceedings against McLane were based on charges that he had violated the corrupt practices act and also that there had been wholesale election fraud in his return to congress.

The princely remuneration that goes with Representative Farr's six days of service, approximating $3,500 a day, results from a computation of salary and incidental allowances to cover the entire two year period of the congress to which the house has held him to have been lightfully elected. While McLane also has drawn pay for the entire two years, lacking the six days remaining of the present congress, he is requested to make no refund, the single seat costing the government in effect almost twice the stipulated figure.

## Hoover's Appointment Made Over Stiff Opposition From Republican Leaders

BY DAVID LAWRENCE
(Copright, 1921, by Times Pub. Co.)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25—Herbert Hoover's acceptance of the portfolio of Secretary of Commerce has been on the whole well received in the national capital though men in Congress who have opposed him from the start still maintain certain misgivings concerning the selection. They do not doubt Mr. Hoover's ability that they question, they question the compatibility of his temperament in any institution like a Presidential Cabinet where the element of politics plays so important a part.

There is on the other hand a story being told at the Capitol of a conversation that took place at St. Augustine recently between Mr. Harding and a certain United States Senator who went there to oppose the appointment of Mr. Hoover. The President-elect defended Mr. Hoover warmly and answered the objection concerning Mr. Hoover's inflexibility by showing his visitor a copy of a letter received from the former Food Administrator. In that communication Mr. Hoover said he had noted the criticisms which were being made of the possible selection of Henry C. Wallace for Secretary of Agriculture and he hoped Mr. Harding would not be dissuaded from appointing Mr. Wallace because of that criticism. Mr. Hoover went on to say that during the war, he himself had been severely criticized by Mr. Wallace, who as the editor of a farm journal had a good many things to say about the Food Administration. Then Mr. Hoover in his letter wrote substantially as follows:

**Admits His Error**

"Looking back now over what happened during the war, I have come to the conclusion that Mr. Wallace was right and I was wrong."

The President-elect pointed to that sentence as evidence that Mr. Hoover is a broad-minded man and that when he was wrong he did not hesitate to acknowledge it.

That letter is said to have had more to do with the determination of Mr. Harding to appoint Hoover than anything else.

Broadly speaking, the opposition to Mr. Hoover cannot be said to have been modified by Mr. Harding's display of confidence in the former Food Administrator. The truth is the skeptics insist that their judgment has been confirmed by the attitude which Mr. Hoover assumed when the portfolio was tendered him. The critics say it was unwise for Mr. Hoover to ask questions about the Cabinet portfolio before agreeing to accept and

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## Debs' Counsel Denied Right To See Him

ATLANTA, GA., February 26.—Samuel H. Castleton, counsel for Eugene Debs, Socialist leader, announced today he had received a telegram from Attorney General Palmer declining his request to be permitted to visit the prisoner, who is serving a sentence here.

Debs, according to his attorney, is held in communication in Atlanta prison as a result of criticisms of President Wilson, in a recent statement issued through his attorney. Castleton said he had telegraphed a protest to the attorney general and had received the following reply:

"Your telegram 24th. You will not be permitted to visit Prisoner Eugene V. Debs."

Castleton declared federal prison regulations do not provide refusal to see a counsel as a part of the code of discipline and that he quoted such regulations in his telegram to the attorney general.

## Wilson Signs Winslow Bill

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 26.—President Wilson today signed the Winslow bill authorizing partial payments to railroads under provisions of the transportation act.

**OIL PLANT TO RESUME**

TOLEDO—The $15,000,000 refining plant of the Standard Oil Co., at East Bay Shore, will start operations next week with 1,200 employes, officials announced.

CINCINNATI—Judge Joseph B. Kelly dismissed habeas corpus suit of James Morgan, 18, who sought to recover his bride of two months, when she testified she was not kidnapped by her brothers.

**CHILD VICTIM OF FLAMES**

CHESTER—Edna Hayes, 4, burned to death when her clothing caught fire from an open grate.

## CLASHES ON THE BORDER REPORTED

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 26.—Immediate return of several thousand rifles seized in 1916 by the American authorities in the Panama canal zone is asked by the government of Panama, which desires to use them in repelling the reported invasion of Panama by Costa Ricans.

PANAMA, February 26.—(By the Associated Press)—Hostilities have begun between Panama and Costa Rican forces in the vicinity of Coto, on the Pacific end of the frontier between the two countries, it is said in unofficial advices received here. Official confirmation of these reports, however, is lacking. Formal declaration of war had not been made up until last night.

More than 2,000 men enrolled for military service here yesterday, and reports from other parts of the republic told of citizens volunteering for the army. Two hundred men left the city yesterday afternoon for the Costa Rican frontier, and it is believed the Panaman forces near Coto, or en route to that place number about 500. These consist of national police and volunteers from Panama City and Chiriqui province. The base of Panaman operations will be in the small town of Urogreso, near Golfo de Dulce, which is connected by a narrow guage railroad with a small port constructed by the Panama Sugar Company. The town of Progreso is also the property of the same corporation.

The Panama canal zone administration and the United States legation here had not received instructions from Washington last night. A conference is to be held Monday between President Porras, William Jennings Price, United States minister, and Colonel Jay Morrow, acting canal governor.

While the president has been proceeding under his constitutional powers in mobilizing the Panaman forces, the authority to declare war rests with the national assembly, which has not as yet acted. A general exodus of Costa Ricans from Panama is taking place, while many Panamanis, who are in Costa Rica, are trying to reach Panama.

An interesting phase of the situation results from Costa occupying territory under the arbitration decision of Chief Justice White, of the United States court, which was handed down in 1914, while the United States herself has by virtue of treaties guaran-

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### Billy-Butt-In
THE TIMES' WEATHER MAN

Predictin' weather's mighty easy, but makin' 'em come true and the public believe it, is another story. Here's for tomorrow:

OHIO—Rain or snow tonight. Colder in north and west portions. Sunday cloudy and colder. Probably snow in north and east portions.

KENTUCKY—Cloudy tonight. Sunday fair and colder.

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 26.—Weather forecast for next week:

Ohio Valley and Tennessee—Normal temperature; considerable cloudiness; occasional snows and rains.

Region of the Great Lakes—Unsettled, probably snows; temperature near normal.

The extremes in local temperature today were: High, 45; low, 26.

# LYRIC

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## Send Picture Of Negro Suspect To Pittsburg

Marshal Frank Hall and Deputy Ray Buckley of New Boston who arrested a negro giving the name of Edward Riley and who answers the description of Joseph Thomas wanted by Pittsburgh authorities, are anxiously awaiting word from the Pittsburgh officers relative to pictures of Riley sent them Friday. There is a reward of $5,000 offered for the capture of Thomas and the New Boston officers feel sure they have the wanted man in jail.

Riley denies ever being in the vicinity of Pittburgh. Thomas is wanted for the murder of one white woman and for attacking another.

Riley was arrested in the railroad tracks at Sciotoville after L. C. McGuire of Lakeside reported the theft of four coils from a Ford car. The officers claim they found the coils on Riley.

## Houston Case Is Dismissed

When the case of Marvin Houston West End young man, charged with robbing Mrs. Bessie Morgan-Steele of $18 was called for trial in Municipal court Saturday, it was announced that the charge had been dismissed on the request of the complainant who told the court she did not desire further to press the case.

It was alleged that Houston extracted the money from the woman's stocking after slitting the hosiery with a knife. The incident is said to have occurred at a West Side Camp a week ago.

## CHIMES WELCOME FR. McGUIRK HOME

Rev. J. E. McGuirk, who returned from a delightful visit to Florida and Cuba yesterday afternoon held services in the Holy Redeemer church last night. As he entered the church Edward Kean played "Home Sweet Home" on the church chimes and Father McGuirk was given an agreeable surprise. He says he is feeling better than he has for several years and speaks glowingly of Miami and other cities he visited in Florida. He will conduct his usual services in Holy Redeemer church Sunday.


# 4 PER CENT INTEREST

safety, counsel and advice as to the best means of using Savings and other surplus funds, are encouragements to those carrying Savings Accounts in the Royal Savings and Loan Company.

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## Mr. Scudder Out Again

George D. Scudder, who for the past week has been very ill at his home on Fourth street has recovered. His many friends are glad to see him out again.

## NEW BOSTON

Tomorrow will be Honor Day at the Ohio Avenue Christian church Sunday School. Mayor J. S. Davis and Sherman Smith, principal of the high school will speak at the Sunday school hour. The class having the largest attendance will receive a Bible. At the evening service W. H. Bond of Portsmouth will fill the pulpit.

The Class of Promise of the Baptist church met last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Stevens of Grace street. A business meeting was held and the evening was spent in games and social chat after which dainty refreshments were served by Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Stevens. Those who enjoyed the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Arthur and daughter, Gladys, Mr. and Mrs. Esto Caulley and daughter Agnes, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Smith and children, Mrs. Guy Kirkman and son, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Booten and children, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Stevens and children, Mrs. Charles Elliott, Albert Perry, Mrs. Fred Edwards and Miss Grace Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Castor of 4237 Spruce street entertained last evening with a birthday party in honor of their son Hugh's fifteenth birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in games and music after which a dainty lunch was served by Mrs. Castor to the following guests: Gladys Fremont, Wilma Emory, Ada Fremont, Elizabeth and Margaret Henson, Mamie Ottney, Oscar Hickman, Kline Jenkins, Gerald Wintersole, Robert York, Carl Allbaugh, Wells McCann, Richard W. Smith, Marcella Hanes, Richard Johnson, Jacob Henson, Wilfred Sheridan and Eliza Hensley.

Wayne Duncan of Harrisonville avenue who has been ill with pneumonia is better.

Mrs. John Kachaleries shopped in Portsmouth today.

Mrs. Edgar Burkhardt left yesterday for Cincinnati where she will spend a few days.

Wm. Curnutte of Vanceburg is visiting his family on Glenwood avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hilbromer and daughter Eileen of North Moreland addition were the guests yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Smith of Ohio avenue.

Mrs. Charles Elliott of Stout, O., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Dingmon of Rhodes avenue returned home today.

Mrs. John Direly and children and Mrs. John Diehman of Rhodes avenue spent last evening with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Killen of Park avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Killen of Park avenue will move Monday to their property on Gallia avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Albertson of Long Run are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bickett of Rhodes avenue.

C. H. Schwan of Spruce street has returned from Lorain, O., where he was operated upon for cataracts and is much improved.

### Work Is Progressing

Work on the four new houses the Wertz Realty company is building near Second and Offnere streets is progressing rapidly. This firm is also building two new houses on Campbell avenue near Fifth.

## Roosevelt Appointed

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ing program carried ahead until there had been some definite disarmament agreement.

"I have told Mr. Denby," said the president-elect, "that I would like to nominate him for secretary of the navy. He has replied that he would serve in that capacity.

"I may add that I have had a very earnest wish to call to the assistant secretaryship of the navy, both out of respect for his capacity and because of the sentimental connection, Colonel Theodore Roosevelt. The selection has met with Mr. Denby's approval and Mr. Roosevelt also has said he would accept."

Asked about the naval building program, Mr. Harding continued:

"I have said to such members of the senate and house naval committees as have asked me that I would be very reluctant to suspend our capital construction program until we are in agreement with the other nations on a plan of disarmament."

The president-elect added a denial of published reports that in his communications with members of congress he had indicated any definite date for convening of the special session that is to be called after his inauguration.

"No decision has been made at all," he said. "I would not think about deciding until I reach Washington and get into more intimate touch with the congressional leaders."

Both Mr. Denby and Mr. Roosevelt, chosen for the ranking posts of the American naval establishment, have behind them traditions that associate them closely to the navy. On the part of Mr. Denby these traditions are personal, for he has served as a member of the house naval committee and as an enlisted man in war time in both the navy and marine corps. Mr. Roosevelt is a member of a family whose name has been interwoven for many years with the history and the navy department. It was as assistant secretary of the navy that the first Theodore Roosevelt first attracted national attention and during the Wilson administration the same post has been filled by Franklin D. Roosevelt, a cousin of the former president.

### Houses Going Up Rapidly

R. L. Hopkins is making splendid headway on four new bungalows he is building on the Scioto Trail for the Bierley Realty company. He is also building a seven room house for himself.

### Back From Trip.

Attorney C. M. Searl is home from a business trip to Cincinnati.

## Garrison Hotel And Store Burn; Rest Of Village Saved By "Volunteers"

Discovery of a fire shortly after it had started about 11 o'clock last night by Edward Sullivan, night watchman on a C. & O. engine at Garrison, Ky., probably saved the village of Garrison, Ky., from a fire that at first threatened to wipe out all the business places and homes in that village, but which was kept confined to the William Orcutt general store and the Cooper Hotel. A steady stream of water from the C. & O. engine, on which Sullivan was stationed, and the water thrown by a bucket brigade of "volunteers" kept the flames confined to the two structures destroyed and prevented flames from reaching any of the other homes or business places. The total loss is about $15,000, with some insurance.

Sullivan is watchman on the Carter engine stationed at Garrison, the engine being used on the Carter branch of the C. & O. The fire had just started on the first floor of the general store when Sullivan first noticed it. He blew the whistle of the engine for several minutes, sounding the alarm of fire in this way. It did not take long for the entire village to turn out, everyone taking some part in the fire-fighting.

The general store occupied a story and a half frame building which was readily consumed by the flames, the fire-fighters giving all their attention at first to the hotel located 25 feet from the general store. The flames from the store leaped the 25 feet to the frame hotel structure and in less than a half hour after the fire was discovered both places were a mass of ruins. All furniture was removed from the hotel of 10 rooms, the only loss here being the building.

When the fire-fighters realized that the hotel was doomed they turned their efforts to the nearby property, soaking the roofs with water to prevent sparks and flying embers from setting fire to other buildings. A small frame storage building and barn in the rear of the general store were saved. The James Alley grocery store in the same block was also saved.

The Cooper Hotel was sold just recently to Charles Cartee, and his family were just moving in, there being no guests registered since the new owners took charge. Mrs. Cartee and two children and her two sisters were in the hotel, but escaped in plenty of time.

Word of the fire came to Portsmouth through A. C. Wilson, C. & O. telegraph operator at South Portsmouth. He also heard more about the fire on the arrival of a train at the South Portsmouth station, the train having passed when the fire was at its height.

## Supreme Head Of Owls Is Charged With Violation Of White Slave Law

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Feb. 26.—John W. Talbot, attorney and supreme head of the Order of Owls; the home "nest" of which is in this city, was arrested here yesterday by C. E. Wicker and John Burnett, United States Deputy Marshals, as the result of indictments returned by the Federal grand jury at Indianapolis less than two weeks ago.

Talbot and Mrs. Pearl Spangler, a nurse at the Owls' hospital here, are charged with violations of the white slavery law and conspiracy.

Bonds of Talbot and Mrs. Spangler were fixed at $5,000 each; the others were set at $1,000 each. The indicted persons are required to appear March 7 in Federal court at Indianapolis.

The indictment against Talbot is a consequence of an affidavit made by Miss Pearl Bagley, 17 years old, of Topeka, Kan., in which she said that she was lured to South Bend and was subjected to alleged "terrible crimes."

Miss Bagley's father is a fraternal organizer in Kansas and it was when on an official trip to Topeka that Talbot is alleged to have become acquainted with the family. The Owl leader was invited to the Bagley home, and painted a glowing picture of opportunities at the Owl headquarters here, according to the girl's charges.

She said that she decided to make the trip, and after a few days of clerical work in the office of the order was taken to the Owl hospital here. She said she supposed that she was to be employed as a nurse.

Soon afterward she presented herself to the police with cropped hair and appealed for protection. She said that she was being trailed in order to force her to return to the hospital where, she alleged, she had been compelled to participate in "unspeakable" orgies. In response to her frantic pleas that she be locked up, she was permitted to become a voluntary prisoner in the St. Joseph county jail where she remained for a few days until her parents were notified and arranged for her return to Kansas.

## DRESS-UP WEEK MARCH 14-20

March 14 to 20 were the opening and closing dates set for Spring "Dress Up Week" at a meeting of the Retail Merchants Committee of the Chamber of Commerce Friday afternoon. The opening will be on Tuesday evening the merchants to have their windows draped all day Monday and part of Tuesday. The prize money this year will amount to $40 there being five prizes instead of three as in the past. The prizes will be $15, $10 and three of $5 each.

The judges named to decide the best window displays are Attorney Henry T. Bannon, Henry Bertram, William Inman, Mrs. Robert Bryan, Mrs. Harry Revare, and Mrs. George Martin.

## LEGION FIVE HAS REGULAR WAR EXPERIENCE IN REACHING HOME

Hereafter when the James Dickey Post, American Legion basketball five leaves the city it will make sure that all arrangements have been perfected for their quick and safe return for they do not want any more experiences like they went through Friday night and Saturday morning on their return trip from Manchester, O. where they played Friday evening.

After the game the local players crossed the river to South Manchester intending to get the C. and O. flyer east about 11 o'clock. They were to flag the train to have it stop. The necessary lantern was secured and it was waved per instructions but the engineer pay little heed to such a signal and the flier just naturally "flew" past the little station the wind from the swiftly moving train putting out the lantern flame.

The local men aroused the C. and O. operator and he told them to flag a freight train and go to South Portsmouth via the side door pullmans. The next east bound freight was flagged with a waste torch but when Theron Matthews boarded the caboose and explained the plight of the team he was promptly put off with the explanation that the freight could not carry passengers. The young men aroused the operator again and he flagged a west bound express train which carried the young men twelve miles to Maysville. It was about 1:15 in the morning when the players were in a Maysville restaurant getting a bite to eat when they heard the whistle of a river packet. They hurried to the wharfboat and found the boat to be the Chris Green headed for Portsmouth. They secured passage and reached home about 8 o'clock this morning. The local team was composed of Pearce, R. Selby, Shoemaker, Fortner, L. Selby, Marsh, Blake, Matthews, F. Williams and Adams.

## To Observe Rally Days

Tomorrow, Monday and Tuesday, special rally services will be held at the new Allen Chapel church, Twelfth and Waller streets.

Rev. W. E. Watson announced today that the rally services would be held the three nights. There is $15,000 not pledged and this will have to be raised or pledged before the church can be dedicated, according to Rev. Watson.

Bishop Joshua Jones is expected here from Wilberforce to take part in the special meeting tomorrow night, and it is possible he will remain over for the other two nights. All members of other Methodist churches in Portsmouth are invited to attend the Monday and Tuesday night meetings.

## Sciotoville Team Is Beaten

According to a long distance message received by the Sciotoville telephone operators Saturday noon from Athens, the Sciotoville High School basketball five lost out in the tournament Saturday morning when they dropped a 25 to 12 game to McConnellsville. The Sciotoville team is expected home tonight. A team is eliminated when it drops one game.

## OBITUARY

### Mrs. Charles Cooper

Death at 9:15 o'clock this morning claimed Mrs. Rerie Cooper, wife of Charles Cooper, the final summons coming at her home, 2536 Gallia street, after a long illness of cancer.

She was 57 years of age, and is survived by her husband, Charles Cooper, and a son, William Albertson. She was a member of a Christian church at Ashland.

## BIRTHS

A son was born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Martin, of Thirteenth street. Mr. Martin is a wood worker.

## COURT HOUSE

### Mrs. Monrad Given Divorce

Agnes Monrad, living at the Kelwert Flats Fifth street, was granted a decree by Judge Thomas in common pleas court Saturday, divorcing her from Oscar Monrad, of The Monrad Engineering Company.

They were married at Greenfield, Mass., September 17, 1913, and the decree, granted on the ground of cruelty, also give the plaintiff the custody of their two young children.

The hearing disclosed that the principle friction between the couple was caused by disputes over the question of domestic science, which led Monrad to declare, while on the stand, that when he married the plaintiff, she did not know enough about housekeeping to know that it was necessary to put fire under water to heat it, although he admitted she had learned to be a fairly good cook, but asserted she has not yet learned how to keep house. In explanation of his action in assaulting his wife at the time of their separation the defendant said he was provoked and simply "lost his head."

Mrs. Monrad told the court that Monrad frequently had struck her and she accused the defendant's mother with causing much of their trouble by finding fault with the manner in which she kept her house, declaring that it frequently brought on a barrage of words.

Several witnesses testified as to the good character of the plaintiff and that she was as good a housekeeper as the average woman.

After the defendant declared in court that there were not money nor love enough in the universe to induce him to go back, the court granted a decree and in doing so commented there were pathetic features in the case, pointing out the two children, whom he said were entitled to the love and association of both parents, who were warned that the time will come when both will regret their action.

The court approved an agreement reached by the parties settling their property rights.

Attorneys A. H. Bannon and E. G. Millar for the wife and Attorneys Blair and Blair for Monrad.

### Continued For Investigation

In Common Pleas court Saturday Judge Thomas heard the evidence in the divorce and alimony suit of Flossie Daniels, 1807 Eighth street against George Daniels, section foreman for the B. & O. at Sciotoville, and then continued the case for further investigation.

They were married in 1906 and they have four children. She alleged cruelty, declaring that Daniels has always been unkind to her throughout their married life. She asserted that he constantly heaped upon her disgraceful abuses continually quarreling with her day and night, which resulted in frequent separations, she said.

Testifying in his own behalf, the defendant said their troubles dated back to soon after their marriage and that their principal difficulty had been over the wife associating with another man.

The plaintiff was represented by Attorneys T. C. Beatty and George W. Sheppard.

### Transcript in Paternity Suit

A transcript from the docket of Squire Frank B. Lair, Harrison township, in the paternity suit of Myrtle Williams against Joel Rawlings, was filed in the office of the clerk of courts Saturday.

The complainant in the case is an unmarried woman and she alleges that the defendant is the father of her infant child.

The preliminary hearing before the magistrate resulted in the defendant being bound over to the Common Pleas court under bond.

### Adjudged Insane

Mary C. Rouse, aged 57 years, widow, living on Kinney Lane, was adjudged insane at an inquest held in probate court Saturday and she was ordered committed to the Athens state hospital by Judge Gilliland. She was taken to the institution this afternoon.

### Sues For Alleged False Arrest.

Joseph Griffith, New Boston, in an action instituted in Common Pleas court Saturday is demanding $300 damages from Charles Myers, New Boston, for alleged false arrest.

Through Attorney A. R. Campbell the plaintiff complains that Myers falsely and maliciously caused his arrest on a warrant issued from the court of Mayor J. S. Davis, of New Boston, last August, on a charge of passing bogus checks and that as a result of the prosecution, although it terminated in his acquittal, Griffith claims it caused him to lose his employment as a mechanic at a Sciotoville garage for a period of more than 10 weeks.

### Arn Case Dismissed

After hearing the evidence in the divorce and alimony suit of John M. Arn, N. & W. car shop employe, against Louise Treat-Arn, 950 Front street, Judge Thomas in Common Pleas court Saturday dismissed both his petition and her cross petition.

Arn charged the defendant with cruelty, declaring that she frequently cursed and abused him and ordered him to leave a few weeks after their marriage on Sept. 15, 1920. He said she asserted that she hated him and only married him for what money she could get and told him to get out because he refused to give her one of his pay checks.

The defendant denied his charges and accused him of squandering his money for whiskey and on other women.

Attorney W. R. Sprague for Arn and Attorney T. C. Beatty for the wife.

## Mr. Spring To Lecture

W. H. Spring will leave Sunday morning for Columbus, where he will deliver a lecture in the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium in that city at 3 p. m. At 7 p. m. he will deliver a lecture in the A. I. U. hall in the Capital City.

## Deal Made By Clark & Rickey

Clark and Rickey, local real estate dealers, have sold Mr. and Mrs. Edward Chalin's home at 1831 Oakland avenue to William Sheets. The consideration was $6,400.

### Nurses' Home About Ready

Safety Director Si Straus stated Saturday that the nurses home on Eighteenth street would be ready for occupancy March 1. It was recently purchased from Senator W. D. Tremper and has been renovated throughout.

### Was In Queen City

Assistant Postmaster D. E. Thomas is home from a business trip to Cincinnati.

### Operate On Miss De Minico

**Miss Olga DeMinico, who is seriously ill with complications at the home of Mrs. George Matthews on Rose Ridge was removed to Hempstead hospital this morning at 2 o'clock and underwent a delicate throat operation. She was removed home at 6:30 a. m., where she was reported as resting this afternoon, but not yet out of danger.**

### Mr. Miller Better

Attorney Harry W. Miller, who has been ill in San Antonio, Texas, for several weeks, continues to improve, and will arrive here in about ten days. His family has spent the winter in San Antonio.

### Marriage Licenses

Charles Nelson, 22, steelworker, city and Ena Price, 20, shoeworker, city Rev. George P. Horst.

James W. McLaughlin, 36, carpenter, city and Evelyn Moler, housekeeper, city. Rev. William Lawhorn.

Oscar Hutchinson, 27, farmer, city and Jey Smith, 19, housekeepr, South Webster. Rev. H. M. Bridwell.

Walter A. Finney, 44, collector and Mary E. Eves, 28, housekeeper, city. Rev. S. Lindenmeyer.

### Arm Fractured

Mrs. William Evans of Eleventh street suffered a fractured left forearm when she fell near her home Friday afternoon.

## SCIOTOVILLE AND WHEELERSBURG

### SCIOTOVILLE

The members of the Christian church Sciotoville, will look upon Friday, February 25, as the greatest day in the history of the congregation. The occasion was in the nature of a missionary rally, and every service, morning, afternoon and night was attended by enthusiastic audiences, culminating in a mass meeting Friday night when hundreds of people were unable to gain admission to the church building. It is estimated that more than 500 were present, many people being content with a seat on the floor or around the pulpit platform. The missionary team composed of Prof. Turner, of St. Louis; Mrs. Cunningham, associate editor of the World Call; Rev. Erskins, returned missionary of Japan where he has been located for the past seventeen years and Prof. Shiedy, field secretary of Hiram college, held the attention of the spectators from beginning to end, not alone with their enthusiastic talks, but in the showing of pictures, which described better than words the progress made by the Unite Christian Missionary Society in both home and foreign lands.

Preceding the missionary program the large congregation was put in tune by the song service led by Evangelist Sherer, of Wellsville, who is not only a talented musician but a speaker of great ability.

A large number of the members of the Portsmouth Christian church were present, and they were well entertained by the members of the Sciotoville church, a fine dinner and supper being graciously served in the basement of the church. At the conclusion of last night's service two people united with the church.

The evangelistic services, in charge of Evangelist Sherer, will continue throughout next week. Rev. Reinhard, the hard working pastor of the church stated last evening that he was planning for a record attendance at Bible school tomorrow morning, when he hoped at least 420 people would be present. The high water-mark is 416 and the members are working hard to beat this figure. Rev. Reinhard is counting on an attendance of 90 in the men's class, of which he is the teacher.

Rev. Sherer will speak Sunday morning on the subject, "Battle Scars," while in the evening his subject will be, "Ties, switches and Danger Signals." Everybody cordially invited to attend any and all of the services.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist church met Thursday at the home of Mrs. J. D. Willis on Short street. Four new members being added to the Society after the business session of dainty lunch was served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. D. Borgess of Long Meadow.

Mrs. Jacob Ellessor who has been seriously ill is better.

Louis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ketter who has the whooping cough is better.

Mrs. R. E. McCormick and daughters Wilma, Louise and Helen of New Boston were calling on Mrs. W. G. McMrs. Eunice Shafer who has been ill

Mrs. unice Shafer who has been ill is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Willis, Main street have moved to New Boston.

### WHEELERSBURG

Mrs. Carrie Sowers and Clyde Sowers of Portsmouth spent today with Mr. and Mrs. Philip Pfarr.

Mrs. L. J. Pollard of Pine Creek was the guest yesterday of her daughter Mrs. J. H. Spencer of Stanton avenue.

Mrs. Lorean Pollard of Pine Creek is the guest of her sister-in-law and brother Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Pollard of Broadway street.


# "END YOUR RHEUMATISM"

Like I did Mine"—Says Pastor Reed; Wife Also Rid of Neuritis

Suffered Tortures For Years—Now Telling Good News To Others

"Don't Believe That Old Humbug About 'Uric Acid' Being the Cause of Rheumatism—It's Not So!"

Emphatically asserting that thousands of unfortunate sufferers have been led into taking wrong treatments under the old false belief that "Uric Acid" causes rheumatism, Pastor H. W. Reed says:

"As do some of our highest medical authorities. I know that 'Uric Acid' never did and never will cause rheumatism! But it took me many years to find out this truth. I learned how to get rid of my rheumatism and recover my health and strength through reading "The Inner Mysteries of Rheumatism," a work written by an authority who has scientifically studied the cause and treatment of rheumatism for over twenty years. It was indeed a veritable revelation!

"I had suffered agony for years from rheumatism and associated disorders, and Mrs. Reed was tortured with the demon neuritis almost beyond endurance. We had read and talked so much about 'Uric Acid' that our minds seemed poisoned. But the 'Inner Mysteries of Rheumatism' made it all clear to us and now we are both free from the suffering and misery we endured so many years. I believe I was the hardest man in the world to convert! For me to discard the old 'Uric Acid' theory, and what I now know to be absolutely false for the new, scientific understanding of the causes and cure of rheumatism, was like asking me to change my religious beliefs! But I did change, and it was a fortunate day for me and mine when I did so."

NOTE: "The Inner Mysteries of Rheumatism" referred to above by Pastor Reed lays bare facts about rheumatism and its associated disorders overlooked by doctors and scientists for centuries past. It is a work that should be in the hands of every man or woman who has the slightest symptoms of rheumatism, neuritis, lumbago or gout. Anyone who sends name and address to H. P. Clearwater, 438-J Street, Hallowell, Maine, will receive it by mail, postage paid and absolutely free. Send now, lest you forget the address! If not a sufferer, cut out this explanation and hand it to some afflicted friend.


## City Briefs

Parish Wright, George Reynolds, Green Adams, German Hopkins and Warren Hopkins, who were taken by prohibition enforcement officers in a moonshine raid at Wolfe Run, West Side, early Friday, entered pleas of guilty to charges of unlawfully manufacturing intoxicating liquor when brought before Squire William McManes at a session of court held at the county jail office Friday evening.

After the defendants had told their stories of their operations in connection with the manufacture of illicit liquor the court continued the cases for sentence as there is a probability of others being rounded up for participation in running the three outfits captured.

Oscar Herms, formerly of this city, was recently awarded the first prize for the best decorated booth at the State Fair recently held in Tampa, Florida.

The Crescent Garment Company has just been formed in Cincinnati. It is capitalized at $15,000. Among the incorporators are Leo Pollak and J. R. Samuels, who are well known here.

Leslie Ridenour has made extensive improvements to his grocery store on Findlay street near Seventh. He has doubled his capacity.

At the next regular meeting of the Scioto County Republican Club next Tuesday, March 1, the annual election of officers will be held. Frank B. Kiefer is president of the organization.

Prosecutions in Municipal court for violations of the Crabbe prohibition enforcement act have netted a total of $2,027.72 in fines and costs collected, according to a report completed by Clerk Floyd Shonkwiler Friday, when he forwarded a voucher to State Auditor Joseph T. Tracy, for the sum of $1,013.86 which represents the state's share.

A similar amount was turned into the city treasury.

Because George Castle, who lives in the Fallen Timber neighborhood, is blessed with a family consisting of a wife and nine children, he escaped prosecution Friday when Game Protector F. D. Voorhees found a number of fresh skunk and 'possum hides in his possession.

It is a violation of the game law to take any kind of fur-bearing animals at this season of the year, but the game protector noting the large family of the trapper was prompted to dismiss him with a warning.

### Attended Funeral

Samuel Levi, Gallia street furniture dealer, has returned from Zanesville where he attended the funeral of his sister-in-law, the late Mrs. Emanuel Levi, of that city.

### Was On Business Trip

H. C. Weiler, superintendent of the division of the N. & W., has returned from a business trip to Columbus.

### No Clue To Robbers

Phil Wolff has returned from Ashland, where he investigated the robbery, which recently occurred in his store there. No clue has been found to the robbers. Mr. Wolf's loss, which may reach $800, is covered by burglary insurance.

# COLUMBIA

TONIGHT ONLY

## Two Outlaws From Society----

one of them a lovely girl who called herself the Countess Leona and who smuggled jewels for a livelihood, the other a young English nobleman under a cloud, met on board ship bound for America.

How the deep love which sprang up in their hearts, finally turned their faces to the light and brought to an end the notorious band of crooks whose decoy Leona was is the story of the photo play "BLACKBIRDS", starring beautiful JUSTINE JOHNSTONE.

ALSO

## "TORCHY'S MILLIONS"

One Of Those Famous Torchy Stories
LATEST NUMBER PATHE NEWS


## CHAPLAIN PREACHES THOUGHTFUL SERMON

Those who were not present at the Lenten service at All Saints' church last night, missed hearing one of the best addresses ever delivered in All Saints' pulpit. All who were fortunate enough to hear the Chaplain of the 19th Infantry, Captain Winter, were loud in their praise of his effort.

Those deprived of last night's message should resolve to come to all other Lenten services and so preclude the possibility of losing valuable inspiration and help for Christian living.

## REV. DAILEY TO SPEAK ON RUSSELISM

Sunday night at seven o'clock the special theme to be discussed at the United Brethren church by the pastor, Rev. E. H. Dailey, is Russellism, or Millennial Dawnism.

This is the third discourse in the series of Sunday evening Sermon Talks on "Present Day Heresies." Large crowds have been in attendance at the two previous services, but the Sunday evening's congregation will likely go beyond all previous records as the "man Russell" seems to be very much alive in these parts. A fair, but frank discussion is promised and the public generally is cordially invited.

## THE CHURCH AND THE RANSOM

Wm. Bradley will deliver the Sunday evening Bible Talk in Bible Students' Hall at 7 o'clock. He will examine the subject of the Ransom showing its necessity and how Jesus became a "Ransom for all."

Mr. Bradley is a very deep student and his Bible expositions are always given a good hearing. It is not often that he consents to address these evening meetings but when he does so, those who come out are more than repaid for coming.

## Purse Snatcher Uses Automobile To Make Getaway

A purse snatcher, who uses an automobile to make his get-away is the latest in Huntington. Last night a thief grabbed Mrs. Margaret Moore's purse and escaped in his waiting machine.

### Decide To Work Longer Hours

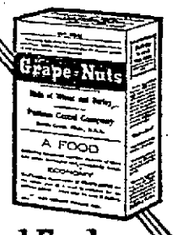
CINCINNATI—More than 2,000 employes of Procter & Gamble Soap Co., decided to work nine hours a day instead of eight, rather than take a wage cut.

### Insurance Salesmen In Session

CLEVELAND, O., February 26.—Approximately six hundred insurance salesmen of Ohio attended the Northern Ohio Life Underwriters' Sales Congress, which met here today.

### Bride Says She Wasn't Kidnapped


Select Your Food With Care




When it comes to Cereal Foods, *think of*

# Grape-Nuts

This ready-to-eat cereal gives you the concentrated strength of wheat and malted barley—a blend which provides unusual flavor with staunch nourishment

Grape-Nuts is especially good for children because it contains the valuable mineral salts of the grains so essential to growth and development

*"There's a Reason"*

All grocers sell Grape-Nuts

Made by Postum Cereal Company, Inc. Battle Creek, Michigan.

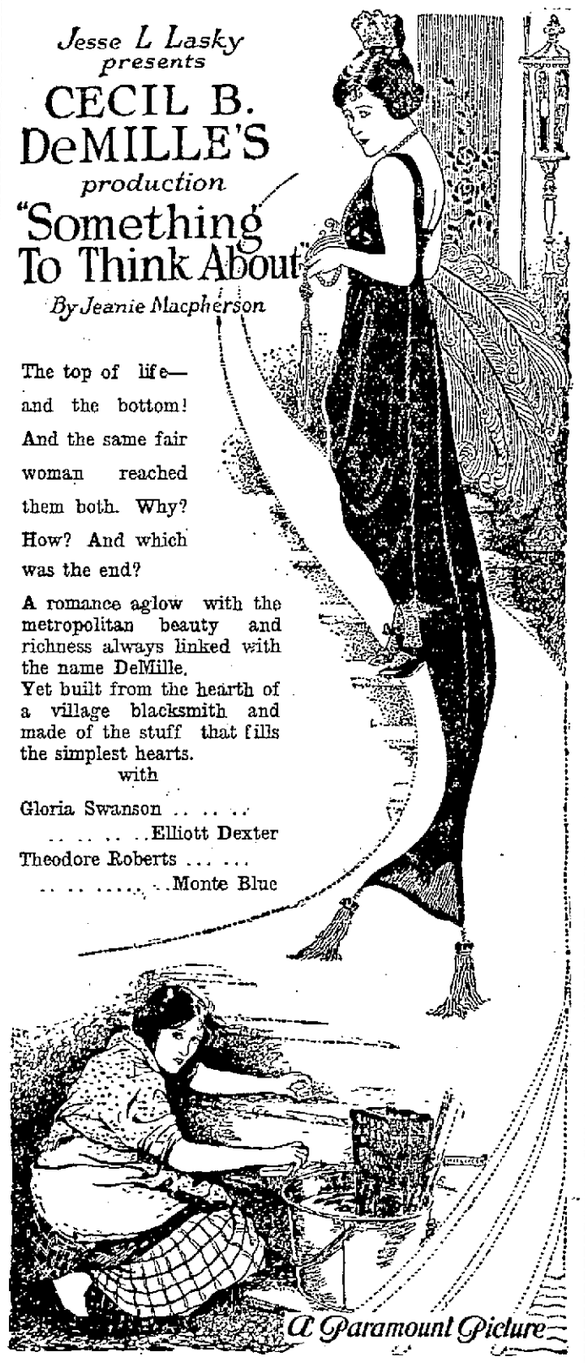


ANOTHER
MOTION PICTURE TREAT

# COLUMBIA

THREE DAYS
STARTING MONDAY

*Jesse L Lasky presents*
CECIL B. DeMILLE'S
*production*
"Something To Think About"
*By Jeanie Macpherson*




The top of life—and the bottom! And the same fair woman reached them both. Why? How? And which was the end?

A romance aglow with the metropolitan beauty and richness always linked with the name DeMille.

Yet built from the hearth of a village blacksmith and made of the stuff that fills the simplest hearts.

with

Gloria Swanson . . . . . .
. . . . . Elliott Dexter
Theodore Roberts . . . . .
. . . . . Monte Blue

TO OUR PATRONS:

This is another one of the big special pictures we have held under contract for showing in our new beautiful theatre.

WE GUARANTEE

This picture to be one of the very best ever presented in Portsmouth.

NO ADVANCE IN PRICES


## Tomorrow Night--Handel's Messiah

The program for Handel's great oratorio, "The Messiah," which will be rendered at the First Presbyterian church tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock, is as follows

Overture . . . . . Organ
Mrs. J. M. Stockham.
Recitative (Soprano "Comfort Ye My People"
Air (Soprano) "Every Valley Shall Be Exalted"
Mrs. O. J. Deitzler
Chorus . . "And the glory of the Lord"
Recitative (Bass) "For behold darkness shall cover the earth"
Air (Bass) "The people that walked in darkness"
Mr. Karl Kappas
Chorus "For unto us a Child is born"
Pastoral Slymphony. Organ suported by two violins.
Mrs. J. M. Stockham, organist; Miss Alice Blake and Mrs. Albert Wilhelm, violinists.
Air (Mezzo-Soprano) "He shall feed His flock". . . . . Miss Myrtle Ziegler
Air (Soprano) "Come unto Him, all ye that labour"
Mrs. Fred Winter
Chorus . . . . "The Hallelujah Chorus" (suported by piano and two violins)
Mrs. D. C. Boyd, pianist; Miss Alice Blake and Mrs. Albert Wilhelm, violinists.
Air (Soprano) "I know that my Redeemer liveth"

Mrs. Roy C. Lynn

The production of this great oratorio will be under the direction of Mrs. J. M. Stockham, the organist of First church. The following will compose the choir: Sopranos: Mrs. O. J. Deitzler, Mrs. Roy C. Lynn, Mrs. Fred Winter, Miss Myrtle Ziegler and Mrs. F. A. Coburn. Contraltos: Mrs. Chas. L. Storck, Mrs. Henry Bertram, Miss Oleta Albertson. Tenors Mr. Albert Wilhelm, Mr. Elmer A. Fetter. Mr. Bassos: Mr. Wm. H. Schwartz, Mr. J. E. Lodwick, Mr. Karl Kappas, Mr. Walter Adams. Violinists: Miss Alice Blake, Mrs. Albert Wilhelm. Pianist, Mrs. D. C. Boyd. Organist, Mrs. J. M. Stockham.

The presentation of as big an oratorio as "The Messiah" is at any time a most ambitious matter, and would be now impossible were it not for the fact that the chorus is composed entirely of trained voices. Under the capable direction of Mrs. Stockham the difficult choruses have been brought under complete control, and a thoroughly artistic effect accomplished. Those who have never heard "The Messiah" can scarcely grasp what a powerful force as great a thing as the "Hallelujah Chorus" can exert on a sympathetic audience. The soloists are well known to Portsmouth lovers of music, and will be able to do ample justice to their numbers.

A cordial invitation is extended to all who love great music to attend this service. The First Presbyterian church is at the corner of Third and Court streets, two blocks west of Chillicothe, or one block north of Second street. The service begins at seven o'clock.

Don't take any blame on yourself when you have bad bread. Get Pillsbury's Best Flour and have good bread. 25-3t

### LEGAL NOTICE

William M. Bays, whose place of residence is unknown, is hereby notified that Virginia Bays has filed her petition in the court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, being case No. 16677, praying for a divorce on the grounds of wilful absence, failure to provide, extreme cruelty and habitual drunkenness; and that said cause will be for hearing on or after the 15th day of April, 1921.

VIRGINIA BAYS,
By Alex C. Woodrow, Her Atty.
26-6 Sats.

## THE MOVIES

Another Big Joy Show at The Eastland Theatre Tonight (Saturday) for the last time—David Butler in Story "Girls Don't Gamble" A Five Act Mirthquake—The Hallroom Boys in "Hired and Fired"—Pathe Review and Eastland Orchestra.

Program Tonight

A—Overture, "Poet and Peasant"—Eastland Orchestra.

B—David Butler presents his comedy drama "Girls Don't Gamble."

C—The Hallroom Boys in a Two act farce "Hired and Fired."

D—Pathe Review—Amusing and Interesting.

The H. C. L. which we have been hearing so much about has nothing on the high cost of producing and showing film dramas for the patrons of Eastland theatre. Take an instance from "GIRLS DON'T GAMBLE" coming here tonight, with David Butler impersonating the unique role of James Fisher. In the last reel, the fifth to be precise, an incident which will cause any previous thrill to be outthrilled was accomplished at the cost of approximately $16,000.

Two scenes or "shots," calls for the clashing of two huge auto trucks and their subsequent demolition. To achieve this bit of realism the producers had to purchase two new cars, paying a premium for their speedy delivery. While an earlier scene embraces another car in the process of demolition, all told the item that may be charged against car service is a trifle short of $25,000.

Still another item of more than significant expense may be added to the cost of production. This concerns an artistic piece of statuary used for comedy effect. To produce the proper touch of realism, this statue was not faked, but the genuine thing secured from an artist of world repute in the Middle West. In this the director calls for the chopping off the nose from the beautiful marble features. To replace it again is out of the question. And again may be added to the growing but incomplete total an item around $5,000.


# ARCANA

TONIGHT

Alice Howell In
"His Wooden Legacy"
Neal Harte In
"THE RUNAWAY"
And A Comedy

Admission prices — Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, 11c—15c. Thursday, Saturday 15c—25c.

J. F. POTTS, Mgr.

# ARCANA

STRAND TONIGHT
Bessie Barriscale in
"The Notorious Mrs. Sands"

TEMPLE TONIGHT
Tom Mix in
"The Heart of Texas Ryan"
Also Hoot Gibson Western

LINCOLN TONIGHT
Shirley Mason in
"The Unwritten God"
Eddie Polo in 'King of the Circus'


## Lodge News

### James Dickey Post Meeting

At a well attended meeting of the James Dickey Post, No. 23 American Legion last night the first and third Mondays of each month were selected as the regular meeting nights. It was brought to the attention of the Post that a number of ex-service men are in need of help and a committee composed of Attorney Walter Dickey, Attorney Sherrard Johnson and Carl Hyland was appointed to look after such cases. A considerable part of the evening was given to discussion of adopting an initiation ceremony but nothing definite was decided upon last night. About twenty members received in the recent membership drive were obligated by Chaplain George P. Horst last night. Plans were also discussed for a "stunt" night to be held on Monday March 7 when a very entertaining program will be given.

### Six Candidates Initiated

Six candidates were initiated at a well attended meeting of the American Insurance Union Friday night The six candidates were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Janeizky, Pearl Titus, Elizabeth Farren, Leon Farren, and John Martin. Three applications were favorably balloted upon. At the close of the business session the entertainment committee took charge and gave a program of songs, readings and recitations with the following A. I. O. Juniors taking part. Nellie Martin, Helen Moore, Irene Kimble, Mary Gannon, Edna Keyser, Lorain Foutz and Leslie Moore. A splendid talk on the life of Washington was made by Hartzel Evans. Short talks were made by various members. Refreshments were then served and this was followed by dancing. The special committee in charge consisted of Mary Kimble, Mary Martin and Stella Moore.

### Plan for Social Meeting

At a well attended meeting of White Lily Council No. 81 Daughters of America plans were completed for a big social meeting to be held March 11. The committee named to take charge of this affair consists of Grace Hill Ada Patton, Frank Smith and Virgie Bigang. One application was favorably balloted upon at last night's meeting.

### Delta Court R. N. A. Growing

Next Thursday evening, Delta Court, Royal Neighbors of America will initiate a class of fifty members. Forty-six of this number have already been obligated and it is hoped to secure the other four by next Thursday. Thursday night eight candidates were obligated. They were Catherine Davis, Pearl Hise, Rebecca Kidd Jeanette Poelker, Daisy Price, Thelma Price, Gertrude Allen and Sarah Justine. Nine applications were also received at the meeting. All members of the Court are working hard to boost the membership to one of the biggest in the state.

### Ten Applications Received

Ten applications were received at Friday night's meeting of Portsmouth Camp, No. 3993, Modern Woodmen of America. One candidate, Frank Sparks was initiated. Arrangements were completed for the big dance to be given in Ben Hur hall next Friday night from 8:30 until 11:30, music to be furnished by Journey's orchestra. The dance committee consists of L. A. Zucker, Dana Craigmyle and Guy Ackley.

### Muster in Two Members

At the regular meeting of the Spanish War Veterans Auxiliary Friday night the names of Miss Esther Crabtree and Miss Maude Mulliott were placed on the charter membership list.


# What Bible Students Really Believe and Teach

For more than thirty years THE WATCH TOWER, official organ of the INTERNATIONAL BIBLE STUDENTS ASSOCIATION, has carried the following statement on the inside of the front cover.

TO US THE SCRIPTURES CLEARLY TEACH

That the Church is "the Temple of the Living God"—peculiarly "His workmanship;" that its construction has been in progress throughout the Gospel Age—ever since Christ became the world's Redeemer and the Chief Corner-Stone of His Temple, through which, when finished, God's blessing shall come "to all people," and they find access to Him.—1 Cor. 3:16, 17. Eph. 2:20-22; Gen. 28:14 Gal. 3:29.

That meantime the chiseling, shaping and polishing of consecrated believers in Christ's Atonement for sin progresses; and when the last of these "living stones," "elect and precious," shall have been made ready, the great Master Workman will bring them all together in the First Resurrection; and the Temple shall be filled with His glory, and be the meeting place between God and men throughout the Messianic reign.—Rev. 15:5-8.

That the Basis of Hope, for the Church and the World, lies in the fact that "Jesus Christ, by the grace of God, tasted death for every man;" that He gave Himself a ransom for all," and will be "the true light which lighteth every man that cometh into the world," in due time."—Heb. 2:29; John 1:9; 1 Tim. 2:5, 6.

That the Hope of the Church is that she may be like her Lord, "see Him as He is," be "partaker of the divine nature," and share His glory as His joint-heir—1 John 3:2; John 17:24; Rom. 8:17. 2 Pet. 1:4.

That the present mission of the Church is the perfecting of the saints for the future work of service; to develop in herself every grace, to be God's witness to the world, and to prepare to be kings and priests in the next Age.—Eph. 4:12; Matt. 24:14; Rev. 1:6; 20:6.

That the hope for the World lies in the blessings of knowledge and opportunity to be brought to all by the Messianic Kingdom—the Restitution of all that was lost in Adam, to all the willing and obedient, at the hands of their Redeemer and His glorified Church—when all the willfully wicked will be DESTROYED. —Acts 3:19-23; Isa. 35.

We affirm the pre-existence of Jesus as the mighty word (Logos)—Spokesman—"the beginning of the creation of God," "the first born of every creature" the active agent of Jehovah in all the work of creation. "Without Him was not anything made that was made." (Rev. 3:14. Col. 1:15; John 1:3.)

We affirm that the Word (Logos) was made flesh—became the babe of Bethlehem—thus becoming the Man Jesus, "holy, harmless, undefiled, separate from sinners." As we affirm the humanity of Jesus, we equally affirm the Divinity of Christ—"God also hath highly exalted Him and given Him a name above every name." (Heb. 7:26; Phil. 2:9.)

We acknowledge that the personality of the Holy Spirit is the Father and the Son; that the Holy Spirit proceeds from both, and is manifested in all who receive the begetting of the Holy Spirit and thereby become the Sons of God. (John 1:12; 1 Pet. 1:3.3

We affirm the resurrection of Christ—that He was put to death in flesh but quickened in Spirit. We deny that he was raised in the flesh and challenge any statement to that effect as being unscriptural. (1 Pet. 3:18; 2 Cor. 3:17; 1 Cor. 15:8; Acts 26:13-15.)

Bible Students do NOT believe in a "Second Chance" and have never so believed or taught.

Bible students do NOT believe or teach that they are the only Christians and that there are no Christians in the various denominations.

Bible students most emphatically affirm and declare the Resurrection and Divinity of Christ.

The plan of practically all who propose to "EXPOSE RUSSELISM" is to follow the procedure of Dr. Gray, Halderman or Biederwolf, viz. to read detached portions from "STUDIES IN THE SCRIPTURES" or THE WATCH TOWER and then base their representations on these. We advise all to secure the Books and read the entire paragraph or chapter from which such quotations are made and the fallacy of the "Expose" can thus be clearly seen.

HONESTY should be and IS the basic quality of every true Christian character. "Let us walk HONESTLY as in the Day."

Any one wishing an "Answer to Dr. Gray" or reading matter upon any Bible doctrine can secure same FREE and without obligation by addressing

## International Bible Students Association, Portsmouth, O.

(Please see Page 4 of This Paper)


## Revival At Wheelersburg Grows In Interest

Wheelersburg and her residents are still talking about the wonderful work of Rev. H. A. Kirk, pastor of the M. E. church of that village who is holding revival meetings that have broken all records for such meetings in that village.

The revival has been going on for about two weeks and so far there have been 97 additions to the church. Rev. Kirk according to Wheelersburg residents is a second Billy Sunday when it comes to delivering gospel messages although he had not adopted the Sunday poses and slang. "I have heard Billy Sunday, Gypsy Smith and other evangelists but they cannot hold a cand'le to our man Kirk," says George Koch one of the earnest workers of the church who is greatly enthused over the way the meetings are going. According to Mr. Koch, Rev. Kirk has taken the village by storm and there is not a person in the village who would stand for one harmful word against the minister.

The church has been packed to overflowing each night this week and it has been necessary to get chairs from the lodge rooms to take care of the people eager to hear the minister.

Last night the church was crowded to overflowing with people who were anxious to hear the truth about the word of God and to learn more about His wonderful saving power and love for men.

Rev. Kirk preached a soul-stirring sermon again last night taking for his text the following verse taken from John 3:16. "For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten son that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish but have everlasting life." He touched the hearts of many who heard him.

There has been about one hundred who have come seeking soul's salvation and their peace with God since the meetings began. Rev. Kirk is certainly doing a great good for this community. He preaches the truth about the wonderful saving power of God and for this reason men, old and young, women and children are making themselves right with God.

Rev. H. A. Kirk

There were ninety present at prayer meeting yesterday afternoon and evening. This shows that God is working with the people of Wheelersburg.

There will be no revival services on Saturday, Feb. 26th.

Rev. Kirk wants not less than 300 at Sunday school tomorrow. There will be preaching services both morning and evening.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# Clergyman Announces His Intention to Discuss "RUSSELLISM"

## HE IS INVITED TO DISCUSS THE SUBJECT WITH A BIBLE STUDENT IN COLUMBIA THEATRE—"SEATS FREE AND NO COLLECTIONS" BUT—

### —Here Is The Correspondence—

### Bible Student arranges to secure the Columbia Theatre for a public discussion; arranges to pay all expenses and then writes a letter to Bible Student Lecturer as follows:

LETTER NO. 1

Portsmouth, Ohio.
February 17, 1921

Mr. W. H. Spring,
City.

Dear Sir and Brother.

Having learned that a local clergyman, the Rev. Mr. E. H. Dailey, announces his intention of discussing what he is pleased to term "Russellism" and contrast this "heresy" with "orthodoxy", I am moved to invite him to publicly discuss this subject or some fundamental doctrinal difference, between the teaching of Bible Students and "Orothodoxy", with a Bible Student.

I have arranged to secure the Columbia Theatre for such discussion and shall be pleased to pay all expenses incident thereto if you will consent to debate with Rev. Dailey. Will you do so?

Think such subject as "Eternal Punishment," "Pre-Milleniallism", "Future Probation," "The Intermediate State" or some such subject would be appropriate. However arrangements as to proposition to be discussed and time of discussion can be made later.

Please favor me with a prompt reply. Thanking you in advance for this, I am

Yours for Truth and Righteousness
(Signed) WM. BRADLEY.

WB—PE

BIBLE STUDENT MINISTER REPLIES, ACCEPTS PROPOSITION but anticipates that Clergyman will "dodge," "evade" or "postpone."

LETTER NO. 2

Portsmouth, Ohio, Feb. 18th, 1921.

Mr. Wm. Bradley,
2031 Eleventh Street,
Portsmouth, Ohio.

My Dear Brother Bradley.

This acknowledges yours of the 17th, inst. relative to a proposed public discussion, of certain doctrinal differences, between the Rev. Mr. Daily and myself. Note that you have arranged to secure the Columbia Theatre.

Believing that such public discussion would stimulate Bible research and study in this community, I am pleased to accede to your kind offer, and shall be pleased to meet Rev. Dailey in such discussion, providing, of course, that he also agrees.

Frankly, I think you are a little too trustful. I do not anticipate that Mr. Daily will debate. I feel reasonably certain that he will ignore, evade or dodge the proposition or postpone stating his decision. I am convinced that, as a clergyman, he would not wish to have these things discussed before the public where both sides can be heard. I do not know HOW he will evade this mater, but believe he will dodge, and that you will not receive from him either a frank acceptance or open rejection.

The plan of many clergymen seems to be that they will class the International Bible Students' Association with the many "isms" of our day endeavoring thus to leave the impression that the great Bible Truths, which we hold and teach are fanciful, fanatical, extravagant and unscriptural. Open investigation and comparison is the one thing they do not court. Error loves secrecy, abominates investigation and thrives on "authority," whereas Truth seeks the light—investigation, examination. I may be mistaken in the case of this clergyman, and sincerely trust I am, but "we shall see what we shall see."

If a public discussion be arranged, I would insist upon certain conditions or stipulations to govern such discussion. (a) It must be free with no collections. (b) The Bible is to be the one authority recognized. (c) The public is to draw its own conclusions from Scriptural evidence presented and arguments made. (d) In order that a high Christian standard be maintained throughout, each speaker will agree to forfeit the sum of fifty dollars, said amount to be paid the local Bureau of Community Service, if he resorts to personalities of any kind during the discussion, and (e) the language and conduct of each participant is to be recognized as the speaker's individual conception and interpretation of the Golden Rule as a guide to christian conduct.

Suggest that each speaker be allowed fifty minutes or one hour for main argument and fifteen minutes for rebuttal. These details, however, can be quickly worked out after it shall have been decided to have the proposed discussion.

Trusting your efforts will bear fruit, I am
Your Brother in Love and Service
W. H. SPRING.

LETTER NO. 3

BIBLE STUDENT THEN PRESENTS PROPOSITION TO CLERGYMAN

Portsmouth, O., February 19, 1921.

Rev. E. H. Dailey,
1631 Offnere Street,
Portsmouth, Ohio.

Dear Sir:

My attention has been directed to the fact that you announce your intention to discuss "Russellism" at one of your Sunday evening services during February.

Thinking that you would doubtless be pleased to have your presentation given the largest possible hearing, I am making the offer and suggestion below. If "Russellism" is indeed a modern "heresy" and is "heterodox" from a Bible standpoint, then the largest number than can be apprised of the fact the better. Nothing could bring these things to the public attention more effectually than a public discussion.

Here is my proposition: I will personally pay for the use of the Columbia Theatre, Portsmouth's largest and finest auditorium, if you will consent to publicly discuss any one or more of the fundamental doctrinal differences, between "orthodoxy" and the teachings of the International Bible Students' Association, with a prominent Bible Student minister and lecturer whom I have chosen and who has consented to participate in such public discussion if satisfactory arrangements can be made.

Such debate and discussion could be held on a Sunday afternoon or Sunday evening in the near future and would be certain to be of great public interest.

Your proposed opponent, in the contemplated discussions, stipulates that the discussion be free to the public; that there be no money solicitation; that the Bible be the one recognized authority; that both participants agree to refrain from personalities; that the language and conduct of each speaker be understood as his individual expression of his conception of the "Golden Rule" as a guide to Christian conduct and that the public be allowed to draw their own conclusions from the arguments presented and Scriptural proofs cited. To these reasonable stipulations you would, I am certain, heartily agree.

Please let me hear from you at once regarding this proposition in order that arrangements may be speedily made.

Trusting the above will meet with your full approval and depending upon your kind co-operation.

I am
Sincerely Yours
(Signed) WM. BRADLEY.

WB—PE
Enc. Stamped, Addressed Envelope.

LETTER NO. 4

CLERGYMAN DODGES AND POSTPONES AND RESORTS TO IRONY.

Portsmouth, O., Feb. 23, 1921

Mr. Wm. Bradley,
2031 Eleventh Street.
Portsmouth, Ohio.

Dear Sir:—

According to previous plans I expect to discuss "Russellism" at our regular service on next Sunday evening at seven o'clock.

At that time I will also discuss publicly your recent proposition and state the one condition (which by the way is included in your own stipulations but the sincerity of which I very much question) upon which it will be accepted.

In the mean time I extend a most cordial invitation to you and "The Little Flock" to listen to a fair but frank discussion of "Millennial Dawnism" at our regular service next Sunday evening.

Very cordially yours,
EHD E. H. DAILEY.

Bible Students of Portsmouth and vicinity are sufficiently "unorthodox" to inquire:

(1) If the clergyman doubted the sincerity of the proposition, why did he not immediately accept the proposition and thus demonstrate the insincerity of Bible Students?

(2) If the "ONE condition" upon which he will debate is already included in the "stipulations" why postpone his decision until after he shall have publicly discussed the proposition?

(3) If the Clergyman is absolutely "fair but frank," why does he ironically apply the words of Jesus (Luke 12:32) "Little Flock" to Bible Students, when it is a well known fact that Bible Students apply these words, not to Bible Students, but to ALL consecrated, foot-step followers of Jesus from our Lord's day until now?

Since the clergyman's action makes it necessary to make the above facts public, Bible Students wish to further state that the proposition is still open to any local clergyman, who obtains the endorsement of the local Ministerial Association, for such discussion.

Bible Students are not seeking controversy. They are not going about with a "chip on their shoulder." They are not looking for argument or debate or seeking to embarrass anyone. But there are hundreds of sincere, consecrated Bible Students in this vicinity who are in "dead earnest" and who are living Christian lives consistent with their professions. These Bible Students protest the unwarranted misrepresentation of their doctrines and teachings which are every now and then made by the occasional, over-zealous clergyman. We respectfully request for ourselves the same liberal, broad, Christian consideration that we accord to other Christians who may differ with us on certain doctrinal points.

Yours for TRUTH and RIGHTEOUSNESS

Portsmouth Branch

# International Bible Students Association

What Bible Students Teach?
See Page 3 This Paper

## How Gospels Were Composed

By John Collins Jackson

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It should always be remembered how fragmentary and incomplete are our four gospels as to giving all that Jesus of Nazareth said and did. John tells us that if all these things were written "the world itself could not contain the books." This is not to be taken literally, of course. It is a figure of speech called hyperbole, a popular form of exaggeration, as when we say for example, "there were any number of people there." Instead of the gospels being detailed history of modern form, they are more like memoirs, which is precisely what one of the early church fathers—of the second century, Justin Martyr—call's them, "Memoirs of the Apostles."

It is not known definitely just when, where or by whom these were composed. Their material in the main is doubtless to be attributed to the men whose names they bear. But that we have them just as they left their authors' hands, or that their reputed authors certainly composed the original copies, we cannot positively know.

Nor is this essential. The same is true of all other ancient books. Literary customs then were entirely different from those of today. Oriental thought-forms, and styles of expression, are very unlike those of occidental writers. For example, it was the prevailing habit for an obscure person to attribute his literary production, if meritorious, to some celebrated author. This was considered an honor due the latter. It was not regarded as forgery. There is a well known instance where a Greek writer produced a time work and published it over his own name. Shortly afterward his dead body was found by the seashore, where he was accidentally drowned, and this was considered a penalty for his presumption in not ascribing his writing to some illustrious author.

It is not at all impossible that our gospels may have shared in this custom to some degree. The earliest of them were not written till about a quarter of a century after the crucifixion of our Lord. He himself never wrote anything for publication, nor did he command that others should write down his sayings for preservation. Yet he emphatically declared that his words would never pass away. As the "King of Truth" which he called himself, he held unalloyed faith in the final triumph of the truth.

But while writing nothing he did most strenuously insist that his hearers should remember and practice the things which he spoke. They could not easily forget his words, for they were utterly unlike the sayings of others. "Never man spake like this" was the verdict of the defeated Herodians, who were sent to entrap him in his words. His teachings were repeated in varying forms on his itinerating journeys from city to city, and his disciples could not fail to get them "by heart."

It is also characteristic of the mind to remember with particularity what we know we cannot easily find access to in written form, if we let it pass. This was especially the case in ancient times when the art of writing was slow and tedious, and printing was unknown. It is said that blind old Homer recited from memory his great, immortal poems as he journeyed through Greece. We are told that some Moslems can recite the entire Koran. Remembering these facts will lead us to see how the works and the words of the Christ could be recorded with substantial accuracy so many years after they were first heard by those who were His witnesses, or who imparted them to others for publication.

The verifications of the gospels in their accounts of events are precisely what we should expect from truthful and conscientious witnesses, and they incidentally confirm the reliability of the record by their correspondence with just such differences in the testimony of the most reliable witnesses in our courts today, in narrating the same events, where they had equal opportunity to see and hear what happened. An exact correspondence of all the witnesses in every detail would breed suspicion that here we have a fixed up story to suit the demand.

There is no authority for the outgrown dogma of verbal inspiration, or historic infallibility, in the Scriptures; nor is there, on the other hand, ground for serious doubt of the general credibility of these writings. After all, it is Christ who is the final appeal in righteousness, and the Bible is but a light to lead us to Him. The lamp need not be perfect; Jesus Christ said, "I am the light of the world."

There is no sad bread or sad looks after dinner when you have bread made of Pillsbury's Best Flour. 25-3t

### Back From Waverly

Eugene Stewart and George McMahon are home from a business trip to Waverly in the interest of the Ohio Valley Wholesale Company.

### TO STIMULATE BUILDING

NEW YORK, February 26.—An ordinance providing tax exemption of $5000 a year for the next ten years on all new dwellings in Greater New York, was passed today by the Board of Estimates. It had already been signed by Mayor Hylan and was designated to stimulate erection of homes and relieve the housing shortage. The measure provides exemption of $5000 on a one family house and $5000 for each apartment in a tenement house.

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### SMALL FIRE

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Hazelbeck will insure you.

### U. B. Choir To Render Protheroe's Eastertide

Encouraged with the splendid success that attended the presentation of Loveland's great cantata, "The New Born King," at Christmas time, the United Brethren choir members are eagerly and enthusiastically entering upon what is usually considered a period of "grind" in their preparation of Daniel Protheroe's Eastertide, a cantata of wonderful dramatic effect.

Although the cantata is perhaps the most difficult production ever attempted by volunteer singers such as those who make up the splendid United Brethren choir a determination "to stick to the end" is manifest on the part of each member and already great inroads have been made during two brief practice periods.

Without doubt Protheroe's Eastertide will be one of the most wonderful's dramatic and pleasing Easter cantatas ever rendered in the city of Portsmouth. At the first rehearsal the following remarks were observed: "It brought tears to my eyes as I played it through for the first time." "This crucifixion scene ought to mean the conversion of sinners." Coming as the climax of special Passion Week services the cantata no doubt will be rendered with telling effect upon those who are in attendance at the service Easter Sunday evening, March 27.

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Miss Norva Sidwell Tells How Cuticura Healed Her Brother

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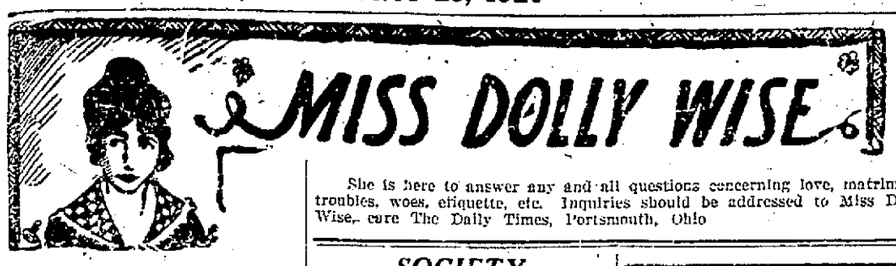


She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio

Dear Dolly—I have linoleum in my kitchen and the flowers are worn off in large places. I would like to know if I could paint it. The linoleum is good and I cannot afford to buy new please advise me through your columns as to what kind of paint to use Respectfully. A SUBSCRIBER.

Ask for a good floor paint at any paint store. The clerk can advise you how much you will need, according to the size of the room.

Dear Dolly—On what day did July 7th come on in 1900 and 1901? Please answer this in the Daily Times.

WANT TO KNOW.

Tuesday, July 7, 1900; Sunday, July 7, 1901.

Dear Miss Wise—As you just printed the recipe for sea foam candy I am coming to ask for it again as I have lost it, would you give it again? And also how to make cream pie.

THANK YOU.

Sea-Foam—Use 2 cups of brown sugar, mix with 1-2 cup water and cook like taffy until it cracks when dropped in cold water. Then pour this syrup slowly into the stiffly beaten white of one egg, beating continually until the mixture can be dropped from a spoon to hold its shape. Flavor with vanilla. Nuts may be added before ready to drop if preferred.

Cream-pie—Bake crust first. For the filling, take one pint of milk, yolks of three eggs, mix with 1-2 cup or more of sugar and 3 tablespoons of flour, to make smooth paste. Add one tablespoon of butter and pinch of salt. Cook thoroughly until it makes a thick custard. Put in crust, cover with miringue made of beaten whites of the 3 eggs and 3 tablespoons of sugar. Put in warm oven long enough to brown.

Dear Dolly—I read your column every night but this is the first time I have ever asked you a question, but can you tell me this, why when a few pupils in a school room do not get their lessons, the teacher holds back the whole school and then scolds besides? WANT TO KNOW.

Put yourself in the teacher's place. Hasn't she been tried by pupils until she is nervous and irritable? If you show her respect and kindness and get your lessons, rather than show contempt, she will respond. I am sure and will be a kinder teacher than you can picture now. Do not be disrespectful because the rest of the class is. Try to make the others see that their misbehavior is detrimental to the class as a whole, because through continued misconduct, the pupils will never progress. Then you will say the teacher "flunked" you, when it will be your own ignorance which has caused it.

Does any reader know the author of the following quotation?

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## SOCIETY

Mrs. C. N. Smith's class of Trinity church held a meeting Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Clark Compton on Eleventh street. The election of officers was held with the following result: President, Miss Ethel Naylor; vice-president, Miss Harriet McAllister; secretary, Miss Orpha Kitchen; assistant secretary, Miss Jean Henry; treasurer, Mrs. John Egbert; assistant, Miss Pearl Cameron; flower-treasurer, Miss Jessie Holt. The social hour following was enjoyed with various amusements.

The members of the Mysotis Club entertained their husbands with a George Washington dinner Thursday evening at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clausing, on Hutchins street. The rooms were profusely decorated in red, white and blue in keeping with the day. A delectable four course dinner was served at a beautifully appointed table, where the same color-scheme was used. Covers were laid for Messrs. and Mesdames Walter Clausing, John W. Bickham, Charles Kugelman, A. J. Mansure, R. Marshall White, Walter Crabtree, Charles Coriell, P. W. Burke, George Pressler, Mrs. W. C. Staley and daughter Helen, and Arthur Mansure. After dinner the guests enjoyed the social hour in music and all sorts of games.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Warden of McConnell avenue have gone for a month's visit with relatives and friends in Philadelphia, Collingswood, N. J., and Frankfort, Delaware.

Mrs. C. F. Siler of Dayton, formerly of this city is here for a visit among friends.

Mrs. S. S. Leichner and sweet little daughter, Mary Frances, of Winchester have returned home after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Joseph Teuer, of Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Frick have gone to Chillicothe, having been called there by the illness of Mr. Frick's father.

Miss Mary Minego, who has been very ill for two weeks at her home, 310 Bond street, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Denton of Sixth street will have as guest over Sunday Mr. Denton's brother, Carl Denton, who is with the Coburn's Minstrel Co., which has been touring the south. The show is in Ironton tonight.

Miss Sara-Louise Walker of Fifth street entertained for dinner last evening Misses Elizabeth Nye, Helen Hopkins, Persis Bannon, Helen Yeley, who formed a theater party at the Columbia, chaperoned by Mrs. Effie M. Walker and guest, Mrs. C. G. Petrie, of Jasper.

Having been here for the funeral of the late Alex Altsman, the Rev. N. B. Crabtree has returned to his home in Stanford, Ill., leaving Mrs. Crabtree for a longer visit with relatives.

Mrs. Charles Wertz of Fourth street entertained Friday a number of friends in honor of Mrs. Samuel Wise, who will leave in April with a party of friends to tour Europe. At the close of the afternoon the guests were seated at two small tables, attractively appointed for a two course luncheon, which was served by Miss Margaret Wertz and Miss Charlotte Dutiny.

The guest meeting of the New Century Club on Friday afternoon was attended by seventy-two members and friends who passed a most enjoyable afternoon with bits of fancy work, along with a delightful program of music and an interesting talk by Miss Alice Blake, who told of her trip to Japan, displaying a number of pretty souvenirs which she brought home. Mrs. J. M. Stockham at the piano played "An Old Refrain" from Kreisler, and Mrs. B. F. Kimble and Miss Leonore Allard played the duets, "To Arms" and "Processional Marche."

In the absence of the president, Mrs. Orson H. Ogier, Mrs. P. J. Kline presided and Mrs. G. E. Thomas acted as chairman. Mrs. William S. Scihards and Mrs. H. L. Glenn were elected to membership.

Later, a committee composed of Mrs. G. E. Thomas, Mrs. W. S. Oldfield, Mrs. Harriet Russell, Mrs. Lena Kline Reed and Miss Margaret Firmstone, served refreshments.

Mrs. A. L. Wilhelm will be chairman of the next meeting on Friday afternoon, March 11.

Mr. and Mrs. John Randolph Williams of Second street went to Cincinnati today to visit for a week with their nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Wyatt.

Mrs. J. H. Rabinett of Robinson avenue has gone to Washington, D. C., for a month's visit with her daughter, Miss Edith Sherborne, who is in government service and to attend the inauguration.

Mrs. L. E. Taylor of Summitt street left today for Washington, D. C., to visit with her sisters, Mrs. L. O. Cook and Mrs. Clyde Wendelken.

Meet me at Nye's Fountain.

## Your Manners

**It Is Correct**

To address a chauffeur by his surname.

To address a motor footman by his given name.

For the motor footman to touch his cap on receiving an order and after performing a personal service for his employers.

When writing to a servant whom you know to use the term "My dear —"

To end the letter with "Very truly yours" and to sign it with the Christian initial and the surname.

**It Is Not Correct**

To write to servants in the third person except when they are not known to you personally.

For the servants in a house of mourning to wear colored livery.

For a maid servant to wear jewelry or bright colors while on duty.

For a waitress to serve at table with her sleeves rolled up.

To keep a servant who must rise early up to prepare a late supper.

Mrs. D. A. Alspaugh of Huntington will arrive here Sunday to visit for a week with Mr. and Mrs. James Alspaugh of Franklin avenue.

The First Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Society will meet next Tuesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at the home of Miss Margaret Miller on Sixth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hester entertained a large number of friends, Thursday evening, at their home on Jefferson street in honor of Mrs. Hester's birthday. The guests whiled away the merry hours with beautiful piano music by Cecil Hill, and other diversions. After the guests had presented their gifts and hearty congratulations, the hostess served a delectable buffet lunch to the following guests Messrs. and Mesdames W. H. Barlee, Frank Schwoebel, William Payne, Oscar Newman, Otto Case, Cashie Claypoole, Noel Claypoole, Walter Thimmes, C. A. Webster, Jessie Cooper, Everett Barton, Charles Dorff, Harry Brandel, Mesdames Mary Lordier, Ursula French, Martha Askins, Mary Thomas, George McNeil, Edward Hill, George Freshell, John Keilman, Albert Weghorst, Fred Legler, Mary Boyles, Mary Cottle, Thomas Wilson, John Roth, Messrs. John Hester and Cecil Hill, Misses Virginia Schwoebel Audrey Wilson, Ruth Thomas, Thelma ayne, Carrie Elizabeth Hester, Elizabeth Askins and Eileen Schwoebel.

Miss Edna Streich of Sixth street returned today from a few days' visit in Cincinnati.

Mrs. Fred Lorey and Mrs. Oscar Kah received the members of the Holmes Club last evening in Mrs. Kah's home in Moulton Place. Mrs. J. C. Taylor read a paper on "Frank Duvendeck, Ohio's Son," and Mrs. George Webb read upon the subject, "Sculptors of America."

Mrs. J. C. Taylor will be the hostess of the next meeting, Friday evening, March 11.

Mabel Louise is the name given the baby daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. David Tipton, on Robinson avenue, February 18.

Mrs. W. T. Gray's class of Bigelow church was entertained last evening at the home of Mrs. John Hardin of Sixth street. Among those who enjoyed the evening were Mesdames W. T. Gray, Lee Smith, M. L. Haywood, E. B. Graham, Walter Pearson, Henrietta Hicks, Christian Hansen, A. D. Troxel, J. A. Maxwell, Misses Alice Sackson, Mayme Weakley, Bertha Bodmer, Mr. Christian Hansen and Mr. E. B. Graham.

William Zottman of Offnere street will arrive home this evening from Cincinnati, where he attended the Scottish Rite Reunion held there this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wise of Fourth street, who recently received their passports to visit Europe, are planning to leave Portsmouth the latter part of April. They will be gone four or five months and expect to visit the historical battlefields in France.

About thirty couples enjoyed the Elk informal dance last night for which the Novelty Orchestra furnished the music.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Zoellner of Second street are home from Cincinnati, where they attended the Scottish Rite Reunion held there this week.

William Mitchell, one of the best known residents of the West Side, celebrated his eighty-first birthday anniversary Saturday. He is the father-in-law of R. L. Hopkins, a well known contractor. Mr. Mitchell lives near Friendship.

Miss Bedelia Donahoe of Third street is home from a short visit to friends in Ironton.

Mr. W. W. Gates of Gallia street is home from a visit in Miami, Fla., leaving Mrs. Gates for an extended stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Aronhold Schapiro entertained a few friends last night at their home on Lincoln street in honor of Mr. Schapiro's twenty-eighth birthday anniversary. At the conclusion of cards refreshments were served.

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## BILLY WHISKERS

As Told by Frances Trego Montgomery

Oh, these were indeed happy days," went on the Old Pig. "I lived on the fat of the land and was treated as if I were a princess in disguise, but as I grew older, larger and fatter, outgrowing basket after basket and box after box, I was put from the kitchen into the woodshed, from the woodshed into the wagon house and, finally, I landed in the pig pen with the rest of the pigs.

"My, how I hated their dirt and squealing, and their rough, selfish ways.

"All struggled to be fed first and climbed over each other, pushing and fighting and even getting into the feed trough with their feet.

"It was a long time before I could eat the mess that was poured into this trough, and when Angie saw that I was growing thinner and thinner, that I could not eat and that I would not mix with the other pigs, she had a pen built purposely for me, in which I lived until I came here. I suppose I should have been living there yet had not Angie's father sold the farm and moved away.

"I am sure I cannot understand why people think hogs like filth and dirt in which to live. I know of one who doesn't like it any better than other animals do, although for a time forced to live in it. Another thing which seems strange to me is that the animal considered the filthiest is eaten the most, even to its ears, feet and eyes. Some people think pork is unwholesome. How can it help being so when most hogs are forced to live in filth, their pens and yards being generally mud holes?

"Unless you can always remain a pet, it is best never to have been one, for it is much difficult to step down from the ladder of life than to climb up, and what one has never had he cannot miss.

"I am afraid my story has not been a very cheerful or amusing one, but few animals lead a cheerful life, and most of us are forced to put up with a great deal of unkindness and unjust treatment, because we cannot speak and make our wants and grievances known; more than this, we often have masters who are ignorant of what we need to make us comfortable or else are wilfully neglectful or cruel and who enjoy seeing dumb brutes suffer, and as we cannot speak, they abuse us, knowing we cannot tell. Horses are treated the most inhumanly, for they are lashed and cut with the whip, often when their masters use them as a vent for their anger, even though they are doing their best. There are more of these brutal masters and their equally cruel children than you have any idea. I thank you for your kind attention and will bid you good-night."

With these words Mrs. Pigerino slipped off the platform to make room for the next speaker.

Thomas, the toastmaster, stepped upon the platform and announced that there would be an intermission of twenty minutes in which refreshments would be served down by the spring, consisting of newly mown hay, juicy corn-stalks and sparkling spring water, after which the program would be resumed.

(Tomorrow the Cow from Texas tells her story.

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## Her Own Career

(BY PHYLLIS PHILLIPS)

**JOHN'S ADVICE**

Gwenda noted the look of fear and surprise in John's eyes, as she made her confession, and waited for him to explain himself to her.

He said nothing for several minutes, and she felt herself flushing uncomfortably under the searching glances of his blue eyes and wondered just why it was that she should feel so remorseful for her adventure of the evening before.

"I'm more than sorry, Gwenda, to hear this from you. I think that but for the goodness of some guardian angel you, too, might have found yourself in every bit as terrible a predicament as Fern, my dear. Let me play Dutch Uncle for once, and warn you against all visits to artists' studios after nightfall. It may seem quite all right to you, but they are not always all right, some of them, anyway. You are too inexperienced, Gwenda, to be roaming about unknown studios by yourself, at any time, but you are placing your name in certain danger when you pay a visit to some artist at night." His voice was strangely grave as he explained this to her, and Gwenda could not help but be impressed by the solemnity of the warning.

She sat with her cheeks burning, as he talked, and once or twice she nodded her head at something he was telling her.

"I know all too well, now, that I made a mistake in going there, and don't doubt that for a minute," she explained. "But you must not judge me too harshly, John, for you see I have never had a chance to go my own gait before, and it's hard not to fly wherever one is invited, when one has never flown at all before. I'm so eager for experiences. I want to know what life is all about, and that's why I feel that I can go where I will. I've been starved. You don't know what that means. Why, when you were much younger than I am now you had been here, there and everywhere, isn't that true?"

"Pretty much, but then you forget that I am a man, and we men may do a great many things that women, especially very young women, may not. That's the way of the world, Gwenda, and a jolly good thing, too, as far as I can make out."

"Oh, bother the way of the world," said Gwenda, rudely. "That's what we're always being told. That's what makes us want to do the things that the world frowns at. I just know that Fern was told what she should do so often all her life that the sheer joy of doing something that she wanted to do, even if it were wrong, would have driven her to doing something like this in the end. We women have been told what to do for too long already. Maybe that's why some of us are taking the law in our own hands, and defying the world and its ways and laws. We wish to stand on our own feet, and obey the laws of our own instincts for once. Don't you understand this?"

"All I can say is that some of you will have a rocky road to travel before you're through," answered John with a shake of his head.

(To be continued.)

# Church News

**BIGELOW M. E. CHURCH**
**Fifth and Washington Sts.**
**Charles E. Chandler, Pastor**
**C. E. Libby, Asst. Pastor**

S. S. Supt. Hugh H. Higgins. Asst. Supts. Orson Ogier, Chris Heer. Teacher of Men's Class, Orla Rickey.

Sunday school 9:00 a. m.

Morning worship 10:30 a. m.

Voluntary, Andante, Batiste.

Duet, Selected—Miss Bertha Staiger and Watson Goddard.

Offertory Alba, Ethelbert Nevin.

Anthem, Come Thou Almighty King—Ashford.

Sermon, "Glad News" The Pastor.

Postlude—Sudds.

Evening worship—

Voluntary, Prelude—Holt.

Quartette, Crossing The Bar (Tennyson)—Barnby.

Offertory, Cheerfulness—Sudds.

Anthem, Hear My Cry O Father—Rufus O. Suter.

Sermon, Judas—The Pastor.

Postlude—Batiste.

Junior Epworth League at 2:15. James Duduitt, leader.

Senior League at 6:00 o'clock led by Miss Evans. Topic: The Call of the Hands.

There should be a large attendance of Bigelow's folks in the home prayer meetings led in different sections of the city this week.

Remember First Church unites with us Wednesday evening. Rev. D. C. Boyd will preach.

**TRINITY METHODIST EPISCOPAL**
**Offnere and Gallia Streets**
**Nathaniel E. Butler, Pastor**

Sunday school, 9 o'clock. J. T. Breece, Supt.

Men's Bible class, Prof. Frank Apple, teacher.

Women's Adult classes, Mrs. J. P. Smith and Mrs. W. H. McCurdy, teachers.

Classes for all ages. School graded throughout.

Preaching—10:15 o'clock.

Prelude—March de fete, E. A. Barrell.

Anthem—Great is the Lord and Marvelous, R. Diggle.

Offertory—Alpine Pastoral, I. V. Flagler.

Duet—"No Night There," H. P. Danks. Misses Cleo and Thelma Resler

Sermon—The Preacher and Human Progress, by pastor.

Postlude—Gloria, A. Andre

Epworth League—6:30 o'clock.

Harold Brassie, president.

Leader—C. C. Bennett.

Topic—God's Providence in Agriculture.

Preaching—7:30 o'clock.

Prelude—Shepherd's Pipes, H. W. Harris.

Anthem—My God Accept My Heart This Day, Brackett. Soloist, Cleo Resler.

Offertory—Canzonette, Frysinger.

Solo—The Living God, G. O. O'Hara. J. Vaughn Finney.

Pageant—From Darkness to Light, by Queen Esther's Circle. Directed by Mrs. Walter Gableman.

Postlude—Largo, H. Stark.

**MANLY**
**Corner Eleventh and Clay Streets.**
**P. C. Wolf, Pastor.**

Sunday school at 9 a. m., S. S. Guffey, superintendent. H. B. Jordan, assistant superintendent. A. F. Cyfers, teacher of the Men's class. School graded. Classes for all.

Morning worship at 10:30. Junior sermon. Subject of senior sermon, "How the New Christian Compares Values."

Junior League at 1:30. Fontella Warman, superintendent. Graded classes for all.

Epworth League at 6 p. m., William Scaggs, president. P. C. Wolf, leader. The special topic will be China.

Evening worship at 7 o'clock. The third Men's night. A great crowd of men will be there. Sermon subject, "A Man's Job."

**FRANKLIN AVE. M. E. CHURCH**
**Chas. E. Severinghaus, Pastor**

Sunday school convenes at 9 o'clock a. m. Mr. Frank Kiefer, superintendent. Judge Harry Ball, teacher of "Every Man's Bible Class."

Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. The morning topic will be "God's Call to the Church." Evening topic, "God's Call to the World."

Junior League meeting at 2 o'clock. Epworth League devotional meeting at 6:15 o'clock, in charge of Mr. Harry E. Smith.

Meeting of the Sunday school board on Monday evening. The official board of the church will meet on Wednesday evening after the prayer meeting. The woman's Home Missionary society will meet this week on Wednesday afternoon at 2:15 o'clock with Miss Anna Williams, Mrs. Mabel Wyatt, Mrs. Anna Diltz and Mrs. Belle Unger as entertaining hostesses. Mite Box opening will be one of the features of the meeting. The Ladies' Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Ed. Brehmer, 1844 Logan street, on Thursday at 2:15 p. m. Assisting hostesses are Mrs. Mary Blomeyer, Mrs. Charles Bittner and Mrs. Arthur Mansure.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**
**Third and Court Streets**
**Rev. D. C. Boyd, Minister.**

Morning—

9:00 Bible school, George D. Sandler, Supt. A completely graded school with classes for every age. Men's class taught by Maurice A. Coe.

10:15 Morning sermon by pastor: "The Silent Partner."

Afternoon—

1:30 Teams will meet at the church to make the every member canvass. Members will please wait in their homes until canvassers have visited them.

2:15 Junior Christian Endeavor. Mrs. Bertha DeLoer, Supt.

7:00 Rendition of Handel's oratorio, "The Messiah," by a choir of sixteen solo voices. Program elsewhere.

MUSIC

A. M.

Organ.

Anthem—"Open The Gates of The Temple"—Knowles.

Soprano Solo—Mrs. O. J. Deluzler.

P. M.

Handel's "Messiah." Program elsewhere.

We have been welcoming strangers at this church over one hundred years.

**ALL SAINTS' CHURCH**
**Corner of Fourth and Court Streets**
**The Rev'd E. Alager Powell, Rector**

The Third Sunday in Lent.

Holy Communion 7:00 a. m. Corporate Communion for the classes of 1914-1915-1916.

Church school, 9:00 a. m.

Morning prayer and sermon, 10:30 a. m. Subject, "Repentance Without Merit."

Evening prayer and sermon, 7:00 p. m. Subject, "How To Make Love Real."

Music For The Day

A. M.

Prelude—Lenten Prelude..... Koch

Offertory—Melody in G..... Flagler

Anthem—Must Jesus Bear The Cross Alone ..... Brackett

Soloist—Mrs. H. C. Bugh

Postlude in D ..... Ashford

P. M.

Prelude—Meditation .....Hyatt

Offertory—Reverie ...Clarence Lucas

Anthem—Hear My Cry, Oh! Father ..... Suter

Soloist—Mr. Talmadge Edwards

Postlude—March ..... Swift

**FIRST CHRISTIAN**
**Third and Gay Streets**
**Chas. R. Oakley, Pastor**

Bible school at 9 a. m., C. M. Howland superintendent.

Communion and preaching at 10:30. Sermon subject, "Saving or Losing, Which?" Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m. Preaching at 7 p. m. Sermon subject, "The Gates of Hell." This is the third sermon of a series. Good congregational singing.

**UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH**
**Cor. Seventh and Gay Sts.**
**E. H. Dailey, Minister**

9:00 a. m.—Sunday school. We want four hundred!

10:15 a. m.—Morning worship. Sermon by pastor. Junior congregation meet in Sunday school room for opening exercises of morning worship and study Junior Endeavor topic during sermon.

6:00 p. m.—Senior and Intermediate Christian Endeavor.

7:00 p. m.—Evening service. Subject, "Present Day Heresies—Russellism."

A large crowd, as usual, is expected Sunday night. A cordial invitation extended to all.

Music for the Day

Morning—

Prelude—"Within Thy Courts," W. Clark Ainley.

Offertory—"Ave Maria," Fr. Von Flotow.

Postlude—"Postlude," Geo. H. Swift.

Special anthem by choir.

Evening—

Prelude—"Offertoire, Joyeuse," J. W. Lerman.

Offertory—"Offertory," Leylitch.

Postlude — "Processional March," Oscar Verne.

Special anthem by choir.

**FIRST EVANGELICAL CHURCH**
**Fifth and Washington**
**S. Lindenmeyer, Pastor**

Sunday school at nine o'clock. W. C. Hazelbeck, Supt.

Morning worship at ten-thirty. Subject of sermon, "Bought With Blood."

Music

Prelude—Entreaty, Salome.

Anthem—The Cross, Blount. Soloists, Miss Allee Mailer, Mr. H. Hensge.

Offertory—Berceuse, Barmotine.

Solo—He That Keepeth Israel, A. Schlosser, Mr. Albert Wilhelm.

Solo—A Prayer for Faith, Bartlett. Miss Laura Braunlin; violin obligato, Miss Maiter

Postlude—Anthem, Batiste.

Evening worship at seven. Subject of sermon, "Meeting the Savior."

Music

Prelude—Prelude in C, Benedict.

Anthem—Jesus Savior, Lord of Light, Gilbert. Soloist, Miss Braunlin.

Offertory—Song at Twilight, Williams.

Solo—Wonderful Love, Gariel, Miss Clara Wiget.

Postlude—Evensong, Barnby.

**SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**
**Cor Eighth and Waller St.**
**George Philip Horst Minister**

A. M.

Sabbath School 9:00.
W. W. Gates, Supt.
Morning Service 10:30.
Junior Sermon Dr. Geo. P. Horst.
Sermon, Dr. Geo. P. Horst.
"When God Hides His Face."

P. M.

Junior C. E. 2:00.
Intermediate C. E. 6:15.
Senior C. E. 6:15.
Evening Service 7:15.
Sermon (Farewell) Rev. Harry W. Buck.

A. M.

Organ Prelude—Abide With Me—E. L. Ashford.
Anthem—Break Forth Into Joy—Simper. Soloist, Mrs. B. F. Kimble.
Offertoire—Salut D'Amom—Elgar.
Anthem—Hills in Beauty Vernal—J. Lincoln Hall. Pastor's choir.
Postlude—Pilgrim's March — Scotson Clark.

P. M.

Organ Prelude—Barcarolle—E. L. Ashford.
Anthem—Through the Day Thy Love Has Spared Us—M. V. Wallace.
Offertoire—Lotus Bloom — Lamont-Nevin.
Soprano Solo—In Heavenly Love Abiding—Jerome. Miss Edith Dodds.
Postlude—March Militaire — Scotson Clark.

**CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN**
**Chillicothe and Seventh**
**B. B. Cartwright, Pastor**

9:00 a. m.—Sunday school.

10:15 a. m.—Sermon, "Stewardship."

6:15 p. m.—Christian Endeavor.

7:00 p. m.—Sermon, "Love."

Music

Prelude—Adagio, Markel.
Offertory—Ancient Melody.
Anthem—Bless The Lord, O My Soul, Paul Bliss.
Postlude—Czerny.

Evening

Prelude—Adagio, Rinck.
Offertory—Andante, Mozart.
Solo—"Son of My Soul," Sheldon. J. Adam Burkel.
Postlude, Rinck. Miss Swanson, organist.

The public is cordially invited to all services.

**GRANDVIEW CHURCH OF CHRIST**
**Cor. Grandview and Robinson Ave.**
**O. H. Gast, Minister**

Bible Study at 9:00 a. m. The lesson is: Acts 28:17-31, "Paul in Prison at Rome." Be sure to be on time. Ben H. Jones and Lee Dee Ferguson, superintendents.

Preaching and Communion at 10:10. Please remember "The early Christians met the First Day of the week for the Breaking of the Bread; not quarterly or semi-annually. We should follow the Model Church at Jerusalem, because they followed the Christ.

Evangelistic services at 7 p. m. The subject is: "Assurance of Salvation, or How to Know We Are Saved."

What does the Bible say? Can you give a reason for the hope that is within you? It is not what man says, but what does the Word of God say? We need more scriptural teaching and less popular lectures.

You are invited. Come early. Bring your Testament at all services.

**WHEELERSBURG M. E. CHURCH**
**H. A. Kirk, Pastor.**

9:00 a. m., Sunday school. We fell a little short last Sunday because of the weather. Let's make it up tomorrow.

10:15 a. m., morning worship. Come and hear another of Rev. Kirk's fine sermons.

6:30 p. m., prayer meeting.

7:00 p. m., evening service. Announcement will be made at this time as to the duration of revival services.

**SCIOTOVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH**
**W. H. Overstreet, Pastor**

Sunday school at 9 a. m. H. S. Hanes, Supt. Be sure and be on hand and bring some one with you.

Morning worship at 10:15. Subject, "Symbols of the Word."

Baptism at 3 p. m. in the Ohio river (weather permitting).

Evening preaching service at 7:00 o'clock Subject: "Three Great Questions." If you like the old time Gospel come and worship with us.

Preaching next Tuesday evening at Haskin's Hill by the pastor.

Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:00.

Bible study class meets Thursday evening at 7.

If you like goodfellowship meet with us.

**International Bible Students Association**

Meet in Bible Students Hall, Corner Robinson Ave. and Clay street.

9 a. m. Children's Study.

10 a. m. Regular Morning Study. Subject, "Antipas my Faithful Martyr." A continuation of the study on the book of Revelation.

7 p. m. Bible talk by Wm. Bradley. Subject "The Church and the Ransom."

Wednesday evening at 7:30 Prayer, Praise and Testamony Service.

Friday evening at 7:30 Study on Israel's Tabernacle Service.

All interested in Bible Study are welcome. The Bible and Bible themes only are ever studied or discussed. Opportunity for questions at each service. No collections or money solicitation at any time.

**SCIOTOVILLE METHODIST CHURCH**
**Carroll Stewart Pastor**

9 a. m. Morning worship and Sermon. Subject "Other Sheep."

Sunday school, R. P. Dever, Supt.

Every department is growing. The men's class has just about doubled in number and will soon lead the entire school.

7 p. m. Evening worship and Sermon. Subject "Modern Flesh Pots."

Male quartet.

**KENDALL AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH**

Bible Study at 9 o'clock.

Plan to meet with us. Classes for all ages.

Preaching at 10:15 by Rev. W. H. Bishop. Subject, "Divine Guidance."

Evening Service at 7 o'clock.

Sermon by Rev. Bishop. Subject: "Mercy and Pardon." Baptism will be administered at this service.

The Missionary Society will meet Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Buckley, Gallia St. Every member of the church is invited to attend.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Colossians will be studied.

A Sunday school workers' meeting will be held at the church Friday evening.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**
**Gallia and Waller Streets**
**H. Stewart Tillis, Pastor**

Bible school, 9 a. m. Subject, "Rewards of Faithfulness." Text, Matt. 25:14-30.

Morning worship, 10:30. Subject, "Why a Revival?"

Jr. B. Y. P. U., 2 p. m. Subject, "What Christ Expects of Us Temperance."

Sr. B. Y. P. U., 6:15. Subject, "The Second Coming of Christ." Leader, C. A. Winchell.

Evening worship, 7:15. Subject, "The Devils Half-Way House."

Music

Morning—

Prelude—"Maestoso," Edward MacDowell.

Offertory—"Cansonetta," N. Von-Wilm.

Anthem—"Come Unto Me," C. H. Rising.

Postlude — "The Crusaders," R. Volkman.

Evening—

Prelude—"Pilgrim's Chorus from Tannhauser," Wagner.

Offertory—"The Caress," Wilomi Lemont.

Anthem, "The Lord Is My Light," Fearis (by request).

Postlude — "Grand Marche," D'Hanens.

Mrs. Stanton E. Shela, organist.

**METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH**
**New Boston**
**C. A. Hughes, Pastor**

Public Worship 9 a. m.

Sunday School 10 a. m.

Prayer Service Thursday 7 p. m.

Bring your Bible.

Many people were snow bound last Sunday. Get your snow shoes ready. We expect you to be present.

**Old Town—Friendship M. E. Circuit**
**M. Nicholson, Minister**

Preaching at Infirmary at 2:30 p. m.

Preaching at Bethel at 7:30 p. m.

**SCIOTOVILLE CHRISTIAN**
**Charles Reinhard, Minister**

Bible school 9 a. m. Jesse Secrest, Superintendent. We are aiming for an attendance of 420—a record. Won't you kindly help us attain our objective?

Preaching by Rev. Sherer, Saturday night, on the subject, "The Old Time Religion."

Subject Sunday morning, "Battle Scars."

Subject Sunday evening, "Ties, Switches and Danger Signals." You are cordially invited to any and all these services.

**First Church Of Christ Scientist**
**Public Library Auditorium**
**Gallia St.**

Regular Service 10:30 a. m.

Subject: Christ Jesus.

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Sunday School 9 o'clock.

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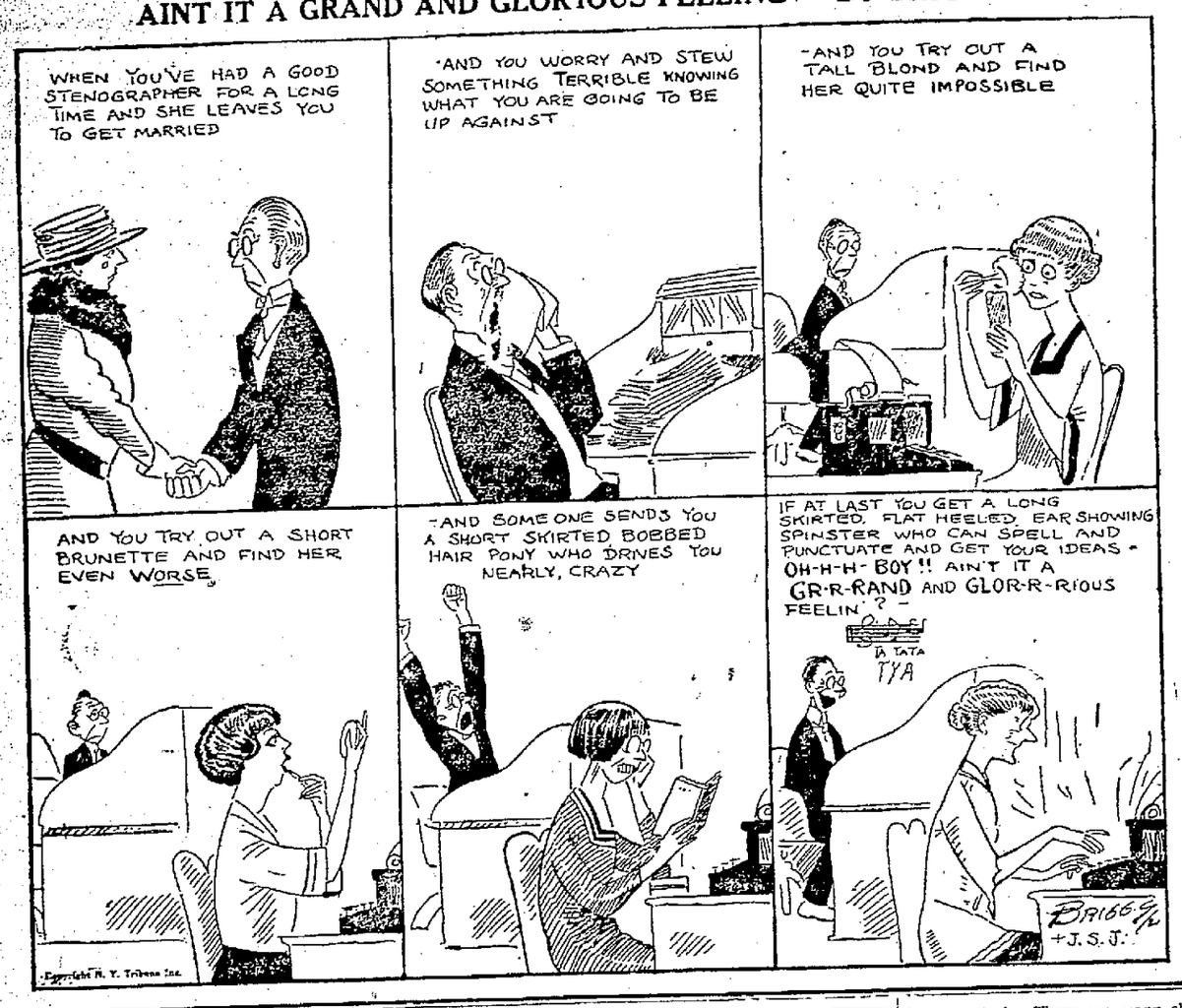


# Gossip From The Capital City

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Feb. 26.—Here are the directions under which Governor Harry L. Davis, his Illinois expert, George E. Frazier, and legislative conferees evolved the so-called administrative code under which the existing state offices are to be ripped up so that a big state machine can be created personally subservient to the executive: Let each card of a deck of poker cards represent a department and let nine hands be dealt out after, of course, the deck has been shuffled and cut. Let the cards fall where they will and bingo you have the long awaited reorganization plan. It may happen, as it did, that the censorship of motion pictures falls with the medical registration and that the oil department falls with the banking department and a few minor propositions of this kind. But what of that? No one can tell what's in a hand until it is picked up and probably if Solomon had lived in modern times and was getting up a list of things "too wonderful for me," he would have added "the run of cards." No one can account for it. And no one can account for the proposed arrangement of departments.

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To assume that the thing lacked design entirely may be going too far, for ofttimes there are deep laid plans behind the deal in a card game, as many of the readers of these lines can testify. In actual reorganization there is little because existing functions of government are but little changed. Things are mussed up with one purpose, and only one for the governor has first call on every hand and only the taxpayers can lose. What the real authors of the plan think of it is to be guessed from the plot laid to avoid the judgment of the people upon the law. Until the bill is actually presented, it is uncertain whether or not there will be an emergency clause to obstruct a referendum. In recent days the referendum killers have been few, the reason, as wafted through legislative halls, being that there was to be use of them on the big stuff, which means, of course, for getting the jobs.

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To tell what the business and professional elements think of the plan would be to violate the statutes against profanity and no newspaper that printed such statements could hope to get through the mail. Scattering of functions in some cases, mixing up of others has tended to convince persons who have to deal with state departments that there is need of a puzzle book to tell them what has become of the bureaus with which they formerly dealt. Gradually, there is being raised a most bitter feeling against the reorganization plan. Until its nature was appreciated the general sentiment of economy and of reduction in the number of departments was well received. On a popular vote, there could not be secured 30 per cent of the vote and no one knows this better than those backing the measure. It has already been generally dubbed the "legislative reorganization ripper" or the "patronage purloiner." If members of the general assembly were not afraid they will not be allowed to share in the carrion of patronage there could not be secured one-half of the votes for the plan.

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"Why can't a governor just govern?" was the comment of a leading member of the party of the executive when he heard of the terms of the bill. "It is just a plan for the creation of a big machine and nothing else," he added. This man who knows asked what is to become of a business organization if it is to be ripped up from first to last every few months. He opined he knows of no business that could survive such a shock. With him many others have agreed that what is bad business is bad politics and only a small amount of that American quality known as "sand" is needed to make the thing look as dead as old Haman, hanging there on his gallows, as told in the Biblical story.

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One set of interests cursing particularly loudly are the fellows who hope for alteration in the taxation policy of the state. They say the folks are getting so disgusted with the patronage hunting and with the general indifference to public welfare that they fear that any taxation amendment submitted to this general assembly will be defeated before it is submitted. The situation has worked around for them until it was in fine shape. The uniform rule element has been compelled to bare its hand and to show that it really favored taxation inquisition and the advocates of a change were able to take their places in behalf of an income tax law, thereby getting away from classification, which is a hideous word to the farmers. It seems unkind fate for them, however, for things were just sailing along when the ripper came along and set all hopping on the administration and all of its work.

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If persistence is ever rewarded, then O. K. Shumansky, secretary of the Ohio Board of Commerce, deserves a silver crown from the liability insurance interests. Successive defeats have in no wise diminished the zeal of this ardent youth who longs to restore to the banished companies the fruits they enjoyed. "Shi" will destroy that workmen's compensation law if he busts a gallus doing it. All hands around the Capitol of Ohio agree that whatever emoluments he receives they are not great enough. But the remarks of leaders indicates that while they would like to do something they scarce dare. In spite of his petition which was obtained by hard work of agents, there seems to be little disposition to tinker with the law. This after all, is only repeating the experience of past years. In 1915, the same interests came with an initiated bill and received some votes, perhaps a third of those in the house of representatives. In 1917 the companies were banished from Ohio, but "Shi" labored on. If another election were not just around the corner and there was no such thing as the referendum the bill to let the old interests in would go a sailing through, but the general assembly is, after all, only a half way house and "emergencies," strangely enough, are losing their popularity.

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What is considered a more smooth way around the wall of popular opinion to the end sought is a plan to tinker the machinery of the Ohio Industrial Commission. If it can only be placed in charge of men hostile to it and hostile enough, there will be no need to destroy it by a direct frontal attack. There are many obligations to be paid off with the organization scheme and not the least is the proposal to invite enemies of the workmen's compensation law into the Industrial Commission. The strange thing is that the first positive step were taken on the very day when the representatives of labor and the representatives of the Ohio Manufacturers Association had reached an agreement on the principle that the general term of the existing law should be retained unchanged upon the statute book and that only minor changes to correct abuses should be made. All of which is submitted for consideration.

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When three officials this week laid down their official duties, a general verdict of good service went with them to private life, notwithstanding there was attempt by the state administration to blacken them. The men to whom these lines refer are H. S. Riddle, I. S. Guthery and D. S. Creamer of the Ohio Board of Administration. Creamer was a Willis appointee but his party seems long since to have forgotten him this. He served two years more than his term through a peculiar set of circumstances but no one will be heard to say that Creamer has been a failure in any of the offices he held. He cleaned out the office of treasurer of state and he kept the Board of Administration clear of suspicion. Guthery was a recognized business farmer and his services at his post will be missed. Both men expressed themselves rather vigorously upon the conduct of the governor in a statement recently given out and as they both lay their hands upon their hearts in discussing their transactions in the board, they propose to remain on guard to see that no false witness is born against them. If necessary, they may go further and cut themselves out stout hickory clubs to protect reputations. It's getting so that mud batteries can be spiked only with a little firm insistence upon rights.

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"Justice poisoned at its source" will be the slogan used to urge upon public attention the alleged necessity of insuring all persons accused of offenses the right which the constitution seems to guarantee to all. This is the right of trial by jury. The issue is to be presented again to the courts, it will be pushed in the general assembly and anywhere and everywhere that men still profess an interest in fundamental justice. There have come to notice many cases throughout Ohio where men have been dragged to distant parts of their counties, tried before justices where the verdict was made up in advance and fined all that they possess in this world and more, too. It will prove interesting to watch the antics of those who are forced to meet this issue whether it be in legislative or judicial tribunals. Does the constitution, as Abraham Lincoln would have put it, mean what plain men understand it to mean or can it be seized upon to do violence to fundamental principles? In Ohio, today, men are denied trial by jury under the forms of law, because prison sentences are no part of the sentences. Will this remain the law of a civilized state?

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One of the stories told in the New York World in its series of articles which have sought to paint a few dark spots on the genial Harry M. Daugherty, soon to be attorney General of the United States, was that Hon. George H. Clark of Canton, chairman of the Republican State Executive Committee, vainly tried to get President-elect Harding to ditch his preconvention manager. That yarn has been denied in no detail whatever and it may be true. If it is, it may be said that Mr. Clark has not been alone in his wish and that others have met with just as much success as he has. The same plan was tried before the Ohio primary in Columbus, Cincinnati and way stations, but Mr. Harding stood by his friend. With the majority of people, who suspect all political manipulators because of the tales they tell on each other, the firm adherence of Mr. Harding to Mr. Daugherty has been a point in his favor. They admire the courage whether it is "right or wrong."

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Of course, the nomination of Mr. Daugherty has set many of the old Progressives to sticking up their heads and muttering imprecations on those responsible for the new legal officer. He is the best hated man among those old followers of Theodore Roosevelt. The fact that he entertained the Colonel here on his last appearance in Columbus never made a particle of difference with them. They have asserted that they never, never will stand for this thing and they have whispered what awful things they are to do. But pshaw! They really knew it all along. Anyone had a right to expect last November that Mr. Daugherty would be named. And when he goes into office it will be with an open book and a clean slate with a new record to be made. If that record is good, the Progressive complaint will amount to nothing. If it is bad, there will be so many things to talk about that 1912 history will be only a minor detail. For one thing the legal profession rallied splendidly to the defense of the new chief legal officer, upholding him along two distinct lines. One was that he is honest, loyal and great as a lawyer and will fill the place with credit and add dignity to Ohio as the successor of Hon. Judson Harmon, the last United States attorney general from Ohio. Another is that if he picks out a good solicitor general, he will be invaluable on the political side and as a general adviser. Many interviews have been given warmly praising him and this form of adulation must be sweet to the future attorney general after so many knocks and kicks showered upon him by opponents and other jealous persons.

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Faced by a strongly financed movement to repeal the protective features of the workmen's compensation in the Burns' bill and defeated at every turn, the labor group of the general assembly, pitifully small and impotent that it is, has come to ask where are the friends of labor. The eight-hour bill was killed, the minimum wage bill is practically dead, although the governor was represented as favoring it and the occupational disease compensation bill is to be whittled away to nothing. The full crew bill is sewed up in committee and the constant threat is hurled at labor that if the advocates of measures are not quiet the constabulary bill is to be launched against them and put through. Not since the Willis legislature has labor received treatment so rough, but there is little complaint. In fact, in many quarters the course of events has given real and abounding joy. Labor, too, is confronted with treachery on the part of some minor leaders who are reported "sold out" in the liability insurance bill and there is a big row over the matter now.

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It took a week for the scribes to do it but they finally knocked the highways committee of investigation loose from the strangle hold grip of the attorney general's office. Hereafter the chairman, James R. Hopley, is to be the publicity agent when star chamber sessions are to be held. Too much is enough, as Potash and Perlmutter would say, and the policy of placing the power of the committee in the hands of an office that is itself to be reviewed was traveling too far, entirely too far, even Representative C. C. Crabbe thought.

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It may fall out that there will be a very minimum of school legislation in spite of the unprecedented number of bills that have been presented at this session. The conviction is arising that the rural school code is working pretty well and that proposals to disturb it have selfish rather than public purposes. An exception may be made of the plan to get rid of district superintendents who do not seem to be satisfactory and yet all hands agree that the individual counties may regulate this matter if they will only try. Through some strange agency the notion has been spread that if there is a bad official in some office the thing to do is to change the law instead of getting rid of the worthless officer.

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Real consideration seems to lie ahead of the teachers' tenure bill for the first time since it has made its appearance. Like other issues that are pending this, too, revolves around the good of the teachers rather than the good of the schools. One who made a study of the bill said that he failed to find where it will work to the good of the schools. He said he did not doubt that there have been injustices and tyrannical acts upon the part of superintendent, yet the treatment of the teacher's position as if it were a vested right rather than a consecrated service he opined is hardly not right. "Labor never asked legislation as strong as this," was his comment. Like other school matters the bill is to be studied very carefully and organized lobbies, either for or against it, subordinated to the one big issue that the student found, the welfare of the schools.

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Only a beginning and a very modest one at that can be made under the industrial rehabilitation legislation proposed in the Bing bill, which is to enable the state to take advantage of federal legislation and a grant in aid. It seems to be the fate of movements of this sort that more is expected on paper than works out in actual practice. Difficulties are often more numerous and more perplexing than seems possible when the matter is viewed in a speculative or theoretical way. The principal trouble has been found to be to get persons to take advantage of opportunities afforded because of the tendency to travel in a rut along the easiest way. It is a matter of persuasion and urging and can not be one of compulsion. As proposed the task is to be dumped upon the schools which are already well nigh overburdened with various tasks of many kinds.


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grow into a potent political factor in readiness for 1924, that he could play the role of critic without sharing the burdens of responsibility. On the other hand, the presence of Mr. Hoover in the Cabinet will make him part and parcel of the Harding administration. He will stand or fall by the Harding record so long as he is a member of the Cabinet. And if he stays until 1924 then the old political adage will be invoked: "If Harding has made good, he himself is entitled to re-nomination. If he hasn't made good no member of his Cabinet deserves the nomination any more than the Chief Executive. On such a line of political reasoning, even the opponents of Mr. Hoover in Congress are inclined to accept Mr. Harding's decision as perhaps best under the circumstances. Now the question is: What will Mr. Hoover do with the Department of Commerce—and will he make good? Because of the very controversy which has been going on it is a safe prediction that Herbert Hoover will from the beginning be more under the scrutiny of Congressional eyes than other members in the Cabinet.

# Negotiations

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a matter of this sort.

"I have a high regard for Mr. Hoover. He is engaged in some world-wide projects and naturally had to consider these matters. At the same time it was necessary for a chief executive to adjust matters, and so we discussed the matter from various angles."

As reported in these dispatches several days ago Mr. Harding did not begin negotiations with Mr. Hoover without some misgivings. In the first place some of his closest friends in the Senate served notice upon him that they did not like the idea of Hoover becoming a member of the cabinet. One of these protestants was none other than Senator Boise Penrose of Pennsylvania. Always a powerful figure in American politics, Mr. Penrose has become more so during the past few weeks, despite the physical ailments which confine him for the greater part of the time to a rolling chair.

**Harding Superior to Penrose Domination**

It must be remembered in this connection that Mr. Penrose as chairman of the finance committee of the Senate of the United States has a controlling position in all legislation affecting the finance of the country. This includes the tariff, as well as the currency. Senator Penrose as sponsor for Andrew W. Mellon of Pittsburg, who is to be the next secretary of the treasury, also will wield an exceptional influence in the matter of control of cabinet finances from an executive point of view. As a matter of fact the appointment has been criticized because of this unusual situation.

But Mr. Harding has shown himself superior to the Penrose domination in tendering Mr. Hoover the portfolio of Commerce, and according to latest advices here Mr. Penrose capitulated and announced that while he does not like Mr. Hoover and will not have anything to do with him, he will not stand in the way of Mr. Harding since the latter insists upon having Hoover in the cabinet.

Insofar as the cabinet is concerned Mr. Hoover apparently had insisted upon having as free and untrammeled a position as Mr. Hughes. The latter did not accept the portfolio of State until he came to St. Augustine at the close of last week and received a formal tender of the position.

It is significant in this connection that the two "strong men" invited into the Harding cabinet, Messrs. Hughes and Hoover, both have an international point of view and believe that the United States should bear the burdens of the world at large rather than lead a secluded and isolated and selfish life. This influence upon the President-Elect is certain to be of far reaching consequences in the next four years.

# Hoover's Appointment

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that it puts Mr. Harding in the awkward position of having submitted to conditions imposed by Mr. Hoover.

**Opposition Political**

At bottom, however, the opposition to Mr. Hoover is really political and has its origin in the fact that the former food administrator issued a statement supporting President Wilson's appeal for the re-election of a Democratic Congress. Politicians rarely ever forget such things and wherever the Hoover statement was used to the disadvantage of members of Congress in that campaign there is still a rankling.

Naturally there was another angle to be taken in consideration—that Mr. Hoover outside the Cabinet might

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# Panama

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ted the territorial integrity of this country. The Panaman government claims, however, that Justice White's decision contained a clause to the effect that if his award should not be accepted by both parties, the territorial status would revert to the conditions laid down by the decision rendered by President Loubet, of France. It is under the Loubet decision that Panama claims the land that Costa Rica has seized.

It is known the Sinclair oil interests have been conducting drilling operations in the same general locality where concessions have been granted a British corporation by the Costa Rican government.

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# Bank Clerk

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theft, police said.

His chum, Everett Dovale, a page in the same bank, said he never talked about girls, spent most of his evenings at a Y. M. C. A. school and appeared to like his work at the bank.

Officials of the bank declared the theft could not have been planned by Dalton, or accomplices who be influencing him, as he could not possibly have known that he would have been given the package of liberty bonds to check over, and such a bond transaction occurred only once or twice a year.

The bonds, of the fourth issue, were temporary certificates, without coupons, and bank officials said he wrapped them in a brown paper and tucked them under his arm when he went out to lunch Thursday. A companion employe, who went to lunch that day with Dalton, said he noticed nothing strange in the boy's actions. After eating, he said, Dalton left him, saying he was going up the street.

**The Northern Trust Company will urge the police to release the youth, if he will return the securities, it was announced today by W. S. Miller, vice president of the institution.**

**"If Dalton kishes to accept this offer he should notify me at once, either at the bank or at my home," said Mr. Miller. "I will help him to straighten out and get settled back in the right road.**

**"If he will bring back the bonds at once we will urge his release. We can not promise that he will not be prosecuted, because a decision as to that must be made by the city officials, but we will do all we can to help him."**

# OBITUARY

**Gottlieb Frick**

Gottlieb Frick, aged 84, a retired miller passed away Saturday noon at his home, 207 Caldwell street, Chillicothe. He had for years been a leading citizen of that city. His death was caused by infirmities of age.

Mr. Frick is survived by his wife and the following children: Mrs. A. Kidnocker and Mrs. Edward Townsend to Chillicothe, Mrs. Ross Shockley of Homeworth, O., George of Wheatland, Ind., John of Canton, Kansas and Adam Frick, a well known citizen of Portsmouth.

Mr. Frick was a progressive citizen and his death was learned of with genuine sorrow. He was a successful miller and farmer and was quite well known in Portsmouth.

**C. R. Brown**

Mrs. Orson Ogier, 813 Waller street received the sad intelligence Friday that her brother, C. R. Brown, 50, had died at Cleveland. Mr. Brown had been ill for some time from heart trouble, yet he had been able to give attention to his business, he being a hat dealer and one of the most prominent business men in the lake city. Mr. Brown is survived by a wife only. Arrangements for the funeral have not yet been communicated to Mrs. Ogier, though she is of the opinion that the funeral will be held either at Greenfield or Cleveland. Mrs. Ogier will go to Hamden this afternoon to join relatives of her husband who reside there and will attend the funeral.

**J. H. Rathburn**

Mrs. Floyd Fuller 505 Offnere street received word of the death of her father, J. H. Rathburn, who died in Jamestown, N. Y. yesterday morning. The body will be taken to Marietta, where the funeral will take place. Mr. and Mrs. Fuller leave today to be present at the last sad rites. Mrs. Fuller has the sympathy of her many friends in her bereavement.

**Russell Alexander Hunt**

A home of happiness was turned into one of deepest sorrow Friday night when the Angel of Death entered the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Hunt of Fullerton and claimed their only child Russell Alexander Hunt. The final summons came at eleven o'clock after a two week's illness of intestinal paralysis.

The child was three years, five months and nineteen days old, being born Sept. 6, 1917.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunt who are deeply grieved over the death of their only child have the sympathy of their legion of friends in Fullerton and vicinity.

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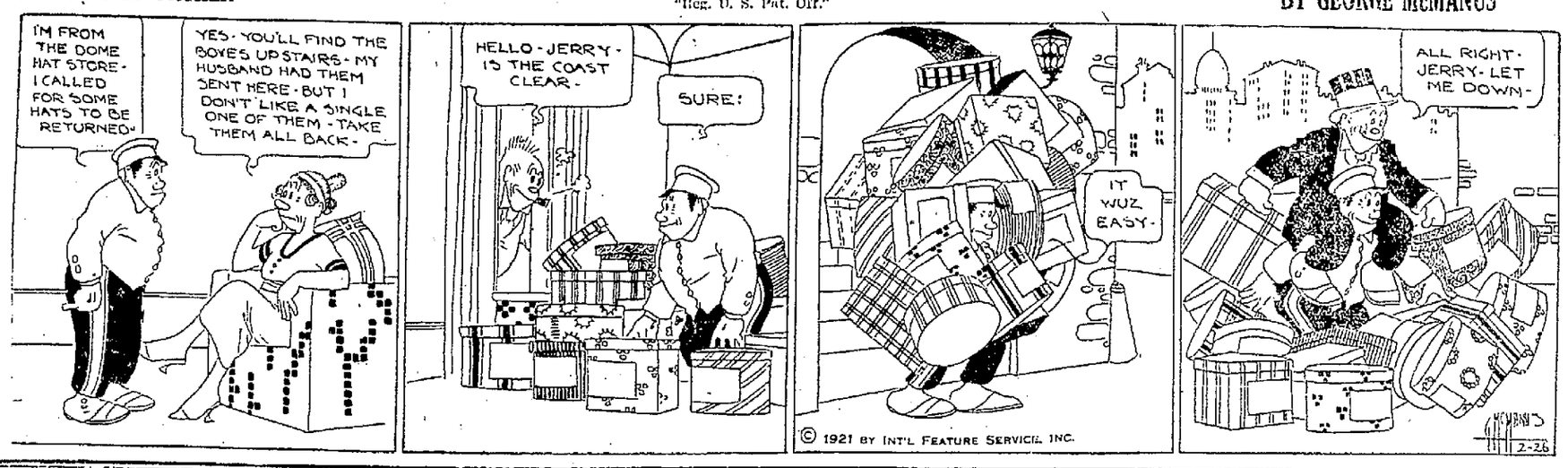


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The first half ended with the Legion five in the lead 6 to 4. The third quarter ended 16 to 16 and then the Manchester lads got busy putting the ball through the hoop. The Legion players put up a good game and were pleased with the showing they made. They feel they are developing rapidly and in one or two more games will be in fine shape to meet all comers. The Red Tops will pjlay here in about two weeks.

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## REAL REPENTANCE

So many people talk about "Repentance" without knowing what the word implies. With a view to helping people to a better understanding of the word Rector Powell will preach on "Repentance Without Merit" at the morning service at All Saints' church tomorrow. In the evening his subject will be "How to Make Love Real." These are two subjects of vital interest to all Christians. There will be special music at both services. This is a cordial invitation to attend them. Bring your friends with you.

## Rev. Powell Honored

Rev. E. Ainger Powell, rector of All Saints' church, has been appointed chairman of the Board of Managers of "The Messenger," the organ of the Diocese of Southern Ohio.

## BIRTHS

A daughter was born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hill, well known residents of the West Side. They live on the Pond Creek road. Mr. Hill is a son of the late Charles Hill, who for years was in charge of the Tremper farm.

Helen Jane is the name given to the daughter born recently to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stockham of 1717 Grandview avenue. Mr. Stockham is a member of The Stockham company if this city.

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CHICAGO HERALD AND EXAMINER

Chicago, Illinois, February 21, 1921.

Knechtly and Knechtly, Chiropractors,
Room 67, Sixth Floor,
First National Bank Building,
Portsmouth, Ohio.

My Dear Doctor:

Next Sunday, February 27, there will appear in the Chicago Herald and Examiner a story which is remarkable for its intense human interest and for its value to the chiropractic profession.

You doubtless have read of Miriam Rubin, the 8-year-old Waukegan, Illinois, girl, who talked incessantly for 212 hours after being afflicted by a malady which baffled medical specialists. At the end of this time a chiropractor was called, examined the child, found the second and fifth vertebrae slightly out of alignment, readjusted them, and the child slept.

Relief came at a moment when incessant prattling of the child had so weakened her that she was near a nervous collapse. The medical profession was astounded and the world was enlightened with what appears to be a reliable method of relief for like afflictions.

All this has been told in news dispatches, but next Sunday The HERALD AND EXAMINER will give a large amount of space to pictures, diagrams and a story by the chiropractor who performed what has been looked upon here as a miracle.

By all means get a copy of next Sunday's HERALD AND EXAMINER from your dealer.

Very truly yours,

CHICAGO HERALD AND EXAMINER

# SOLDIER CLAIMING THIS CITY AS HOME ADJUDGED INSANE

CHILLICOTHE, O., Feb. 26.—A man giving the name of Harry C. Pruett, of Portsmouth, Ohio, recently sentenced to six months in the county jail for carrying concealed weapons in the city of Fondulac, Wisconsin, was examined by a lunacy commission in that city on February 22 and found to be insane.

The commission reported to county Judge A. E. Richter and an order committing Pruett to the Northern Hospital for the insane at Oshkosh was issued the same day.

Pruett was arrested about twelve days ago after he had attempted to purchase a revolver from a hardware dealer of Fondulac. The dealer became suspicious of Pruett and his strange actions and reported the matter to the police, who later took him into custody.

Pruett was found attired in naval uniform and carried a thirty two caliber revolver when arrested by Detective Fischer.

Military authorities were notified of Pruett's arrest and advised that the man was absent from camp without leave. They instructed that he be returned to camp but when asked to send a man after the prisoner made no further reply and have taken no action in the matter.

Pruett, who admitted having been in trouble before for carrying a gun told the doctors that at times he could not remember anything, although he seemed to be in a better mental condition when the examination was made than at any other time during his confinement.

Pruett says he is only 19 years of age but this was discredited by the commission as he has the appearance of being much older.

MEAT CAUSE OF KIDNEY TROUBLE

Take Salts to flush Kidneys if Back hurts or Bladder bothers

If you must have your meat every day, eat it, but flush your kidneys with salts occasionally, says a noted authority who tells us that meat forms uric acid which almost paralyzes the kidneys in their efforts to expel it from the blood. They become sluggish and weaken, then you suffer with a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sours, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine gets cloudy, full of sediment, the channels often get sour and irritated, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night.

To neutralize these irritating acids, to cleanse the kidneys and flush off the body's urinous waste get four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy here, take a teaspoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine, so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure, and makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink.—Adv.

## New Boston Teams Win

New Boston high school's basketball fives won two games from the Beavers high school boy's and girl's teams last night in the New Boston gym. The boys won 26 to 14. The New Boston five used a five man defensive style of playing that proved very effective against the "beef" of the Beaver quintet. B. Counts and Stratton starred for New Boston while Buebler was the best for Beaver.

The girls of New Boston won 20 to 4. Schwamberger and Dever for New Boston.

The lineups used by the boys were as follows:

| N. B. H. S. | | B. H. S. |
|---|---|---|
| Henson | RF | Buebler |
| B. Counts | LF | Fout |
| Elliott | C | Butler |
| J. Counts | RG | Hammerstein |
| Hughes | LG | Rhea |

Subs.—Stratton for Henson.

Field Goals—B. Counts 6, J. Counts 2, Stratton 3, Buebler 3, Fout 1, Butler 1.

Foul Goals—Henson 3, B. Counts 1, Buebler 1, Fout 2, Butler 1.

Referee—Colegrove.

The girls lineup as follows:

| N. B. H. S. | | B. H. S. |
|---|---|---|
| Dever | RF | Adams |
| Killen | LF | Pratt |
| Schwamberger | C | Butler |
| Daniel | LG | Bailey |
| Grey | RG | Emory |

Subs—Sheward for Butler.

Field Goals—Dever 3, Killen 2, Schwamberger 5, Adams 1, Sheward 1.

Referee—E. Addis.

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## Rev. Powell Home

Rev. E. A. Powell has returned from Piqua, where he conducted services Thursday evening in St. James Episcopal church in that city.

## WITH THE SICK

Mrs. C. A. Garrett of 1203 Front street, who was operated upon yesterday at her home is improving.

The condition of Harold Armstrong, 17, freshman in the local high school, who underwent a severe mastoiflat operation at Hempstead hospital Friday afternoon, was reported much improved Saturday and his complete recovery is expected.

The operation, which was for a mastoid infection behind the right ear, was performed by Dr. Goodyear, Cincinnati specialist, assisted by Drs. Berndt and Halderman of this city.

## Laugh Causes His Death

YOUNGSTOWN, O., February 26.—John H. Lewis, of Niles, sustained a hemorrhage of the brain while laughing at a vaudeville act in a local theater last night, and died within a few minutes.

## RIVER NEWS

The Ohio river started falling in the Portsmouth district last night and Saturday morning a stage of 22.8 feet was recorded.

The Chris. Green passed up for Huntington at 8 a. m. Saturday and on the return trip for Cincinnati will arrive here at 11 p. m., departing at 6 a. m. Sunday.

Other boat arrivals and departures Sunday include the General Wood up at 8 a. m. for Pittsburgh and the Greenwood up at 11 a. m. for Charleston.

The Tacoma is due to arrive at 5 p. m. Sunday, departing at 6 a. m for the Queen City.

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### FARMERS TO TALK TAX

COLUMBUS, O., February 26.—Calling a meeting of grange and farm bureau federation representatives from every county in the state for a discussion of taxation problems, was suggested here today at a meeting of the executive committee of the Ohio Home Protective League.

L. J. Taber, master of the state grange, and M. D. Lincoln, secretary of the Ohio Farm Bureau Federation, said this wou'd be done.

The best bread is made of Pillsbury's Best Flour. 25-3t

## WITH THE SICK

E. W. Lammers continues seriously ill at his home, 830 Seventh street.

W. A. Smith of East Portsmouth has recovered from an attack of quinsy.

Dorothy Louise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weber is ill with rheumatism at the home of her parents on Ninth street.

BEFORE AND AFTER CHILDBIRTH

Mrs. Williams Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Kept Her in Health

Overpeck, O.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound helped me both before and after my baby was born. I suffered with backache, headache, was generally run down and weak. I saw Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound advertised in the newspapers and decided to try it. Now I feel fine, take care of my two boys and do my own work. I recommend your medicine to anyone who is ailing. You may publish my testimonial if you think it will help others."—Mrs. CARRIE WILLIAMS, Overpeck, Ohio.

For more than forty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been restoring women to health who suffered from irregularities, displacements, backache, headaches, bearing-down pains, nervousness or "the blues." Today there is hardly a town or hamlet in the United States wherein some woman does not reside who has been made well by it. That is why Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is now recognized as the standard remedy for such ailments.

## HOT, DIZZY FEELING

### Atlanta Lady's Uncomfortable and Annoying Condition Relieved, She Says, by Cardui.

Atlanta, Ga.—Miss Alice Frances Young, of 28 East Alexander Street, this city, says: "After entering womanhood, I suffered so much with womanly weakness. My back ached. I would have, at certain times, a hot feeling that seemed to go to my head. Even my shoulders would hurt, and it made me very dizzy and uncomfortable. When the blood would flow to my head—I suppose that was what it was—I would faint and feel so weak.

"I couldn't do my work. I had a good position, and this was surely annoying as well as embarrassing. I would usually have to go home and go to bed. I certainly suffered greatly.

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# Match Bowling Game Tonight

There will be a match bowling game tonight at the Fellowship Club alleys on Sixth street. The Fellowship five will roll a team from the Selby Bowling League. The Selby team will include Captain Paul Bauer, E. Reinhard, M. Prosch, F. Sadoro and Faught. The match will start at 7:30 o'clock.

# Every Member Canvas Tomorrow

The men who make up the teams of canvassers at the First Presbyterian Church are asked to be at church tomorrow morning to receive their final assignments. They will meet at the church at 1:30 p. m. and from there go two and two to make the Every-Member Canvass of the homes of the congregation for the pledges in support of the church's current expenses and benevolences for the ensuing year, beginning April 1st.

Every man in the congregation is asked to have a part in this canvass, if possible, and will be assigned to a team on reporting. Trustees of the church are handling details of the canvass.

## Oklahoma City's Municipal Building Is Badly Damaged

OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLA., February 26.—Firemen today continued to pour water upon the embers of a fire which broke out in the city hall shortly before last midnight and caused damage estimated at $300,000, before it was placed under control. Many valuable records were destroyed or damaged by water. The basement and parts of two of the three floors of the building were destroyed.

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### NOTICE

Marietta Green will take notice that Ralph Green has filed his petition in the Court of Common Pleas, of Scioto County, Ohio, praying for divorce from said Marietta Green, on the grounds of Gross neglect of duty and of extreme cruelty, and that said case will be for hearing on, or after the 5th day of March, 1921.

W. R. SPRAGUE,
Attorney for Plaintiff

29-6 Sats.

### NOTICE

Farmer Cornett whose last known place of residence is Soldier, Kentucky, will take notice that Pearl M. Cornett, has filed her certain petition for divorce in the Court of Common Pleas, Scioto County, Ohio, in Cause No. 16562 and that said cause will be for hearing on or after the 12th day of March A. D. 1921.

PEARL M. CORNETT,
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### PROBATE NOTICE
Settlement of Accounts

Accounts and vouchers of the following named persons and estates have been filed in the Probate Court of Scioto County, Ohio, for inspection, settlement and record, and unless exceptions are filed thereto, they will be for hearing and confirmation on Monday, the 7th day of March, A. D., 1921.

1.—14251. The First account of Hamer W. Baker, as administrator of the estate of Madison Mustard, deceased.

2.—15078. The First and Final account of Joseph Mastrapaolo, as administrator of the estate of Aurelio DeLuca, deceased.

3.—14356. The First and Final account of Margaret Burns Moulton, as administratrix with the will annexed of the estate of John Crowe, deceased.

4.—15072. The First and Final account of Adam Ault, as administrator of the estate of Augusta Ault, deceased.

5.—14591. The First and Final account of Dora Laidley, as administratrix of the estate of Lafayette Foster, deceased.

6.—14271. A statement in lieu of a Final account of Louella McCurdy, as executrix of the estate of Catherine Bailey, deceased.

7.—15408. The First and Final account of Harry Hall, as guardian of the estate of Mary E. Migner, an insane person.

8.—15136. The First and Final account of Catherine Spray, as guardian of the estate of Raymond S. Clark et al, minor.

9.—10326. The First and Final account of K. N. Nagel, as guardian of the estate of Norman K. Hyatt, a minor.

10.—8856. The Sixth account of Warren Turner, as guardian of the estate of Geo. F. Turner, an insane person.

11.—12826. The Second account of Lewina Hoffer, as guardian of the estate of Ida F. Hoffer, et al, minors.

All persons interested in either of said accounts are required to file their exceptions thereto, if any they have, in writing in said Probate Court, on or before the 7th day of March, A. D., 1921.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said PROBATE COURT, this 10th day of February, A. D., 1921.

NATHAN B. GILLILAND,
Probate Judge
12-3t Sats.

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The Way to Happiness

Happiness is not a place. It is not a thing. It is a relation between things. We dicover it most easily at the end of the path of daily, unselfishness when we pass under the shining arch, "Help Others Every Day."

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Regular meeting of Calvary Commandery Monday, Feb. 28, 7 o'clock p. m. Work in Red Cross and Malta.

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FOR SALE—Nice little Ford coupe. This is the biggest bargain we ever offered. See Henry Bayerai, The Ford Man. Phone 201. 24-3t

FOR SALE—150 acre farm, 1-2 timber on McCulloch. Inquire 1532 6th St., Portsmouth, Ohio. Phone 1124-R. 24-3t

FOR SALE—Grocery stock and fixtures. Cheap if sold at once. 1010 Robinson Ave. 25-4t

FOR SALE—Five room two story house, bath, garage, gas, on car line. Inquire at 1546 Sixth St. 2-24-tf

FOR SALE—5 year old mare. 1048 5th. 21-6t

FOR SALE—Coal, call G. W. Baker Phone 2024-Y or J. W. Horton 2061 M. 24-tf.

FOR SALE—7 room house on Lawson street, gas, bath, large barn, cistern and cellar. Price right. Must sell. Take car on deal. We have all kinds of bargains in real estate. Phone 2152-R. 24-tf

FOR SALE—Upright piano, Oxford make, in good condition. Will sell cheap if sold at once. Phone 1482-L 26-tf

FOR SALE—One gas range, 1 gas heater, 1 hot plate and 1 oven. Call at 1523 High street or phone 1582-Y. 23tf

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FOR RENT—2 or 3 nicely furnished house keeping rooms. All conveniences. Phone 1541 R. 1537 Robinson avenue. 26-3t

FOR RENT—4 room house in rear of 1523 Summitt. Phone Sciotoville 108 X. 26-2t

FOR RENT—Two house keeping rooms down stairs. Private entrance. Low rent. 4361 Rhodes Ave. 26tf

FOR RENT—2 room furnished apartment, front, bath and all conveniences. 522 5th St. 26tf

FOR RENT—New modern 6 room house, $30 per month. Inquire 911 Chillicothe St. Phone 1894. 26-2t

FOR RENT—Four room flat with bath, over post office, New Boston. East Side Realty Co. Phone Boston 149. 26-1t

FOR RENT—One 6 room house, complete bath, double garage in North Moreland addition. Phone Boston 149. 26-1t

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms for light house keeping, bath and phone. 716 L. 503 Sixth. 26-2t

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms for light house keeping. 3160 Walnut St. Phone Boston 157 L. 26-3t

FOR RENT—Two light house keeping rooms, bath and phone, centrally located. 923 Fourth. 26-2t

FOR RENT—Room suitable for tailor or barber shop. 1430 Chillicothe St. Phone 2355 R. 26-3t

FOR RENT—Furnished front room for ladies, all conveniences, board if desired, near Mitchell, Drew and Excelsior factory on Sixth St. 410 L. 26-2t

FOR RENT—Or sale. Farm, 7 miles from New Boston. Phone 1445-R. 25-1t

FOR RENT—3 rooms furnished for light house keeping. Finest in the city. Phone 1266-L. 25tf

FOR RENT—Garage, large enough for 2 machines. Phone 2904-J. 25-2

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms for light house keeping. 822 Chillicothe. 25tf

FOR RENT—6 room house, bath, or three rooms downstairs with use of bath. 2905 Gallia. 25-3t

FOR RENT—2 connecting house keeping rooms, first floor, use of bath, phone, parlour and porch, no children. 1018 4th. 25tf

FOR RENT—Farm on Long Run, paved pike, 6 miles from New Boston. Phone 1141-X. 20-7t

FOR RENT—One furnished room for light housekeeping. 821 Prospect St. 25-2t

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# THE MARKETS

## NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, Feb. 26—The trend of prices in the early stages of today's short stock market session was again downward, shippings and rail featuring the irregular reaction. Atlantic Gulf duplicated yesterday's low price on a 2 point decline. Reading lost 1½ and Famous Players 1¾. Fractional declines were made by most of the steels, motors and oils, the latter responding to further cuts in prices of ram and refined products. Stromberg Carburetor recovered 2 points from yesterday's acute depression and Utah Copper rose 1 point in connection with reports of prospective heavy exports of metal. Exchange on London held at yesterday's final quotations despite extensive imports of gold from that center.

Week-end covering of short contracts effected variable recoveries in the stock market today. Motors and their subsidiaries, secondary steels, oils, tobaccos, textiles and the more prominent specialties, including International Paper and Industrial Alcohol, participated in the rally to the extent of 1 to 3 points. Rails and shippings were the conspicuous exceptions, selling of transportations centering in Reading, which dropped 3½ points. Profit-taking reduced some gains at the irregular close. Sales approximated 300,000 shares.

## NEW YORK STOCKS CLOSING PRICES

American Beet Sugar 40¾
American Can 29½
American Car and Foundry 124
American Locomotive 84¾
American Smelting and Ref'g 41¾
American Sumatra Tobacco 85½
American T. and T. 100⅝
Anaconda Copper 38½
Atchison 81⅞
Baldwin Locomotive 89⅞
Baltimore and Ohio 34¼
Bethlehem Steel "B" 57⅞
Central Leather 30
Chesapeake and Ohio 60
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul 27¾
Corn Products 70¾
Crucible Steel 91¾
General Motors 13⅞
Great Northern Ore Ctfs 29⅝ bid
Goodrich Co. 37½
Int. Mer. Marine pfd 51½ bid
International Paper 36½
Kennecott Copper 18⅛
Mexican Petroleum 138
New York Central 73
Norfolk and Western 101⅞
Northern Pacific 84
Pure Oil 34
Pennsylvania 40
Reading 73
Rep. Iron and Steel 66⅞
Sinclair Oil and Refining 23⅝
Southern Pacific 78⅛
Southern Railway 21⅞
Studebaker Corporation 59⅞
Texas Co. 41⅞
Tobacco Products 54
Union Pacific 120¾
United States Rubber 67⅞
United States Steel 83¾
Utah Copper 50
Westinghouse Electric 46¾
Willys-Overland 8

**CLOSING PRICES ON OHIO STOCK**
COLUMBUS, Feb. 26—Cities Service common 2.25 @ 2.50.
Do. preferred 68¼ @ 68¾.
Do. Bankers 28⅝ @ 29½.
Pure Oil common 34.

## GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

**CHICAGO**

CHICAGO, Feb. 26—Wheat was active at the start today, the May delivery showing early strength, but prices reacted quickly, because of a fairly general advance. There was some talk of a minimum export price being placed on Argentine wheat and country offerings to arrive were small in practically all sections. After starting ¼c lower to ½c higher, with March 1.68 to 1.68½ and May 1.57¾ to 1.58½, a reaction set in and carried prices below yesterday's finish.

Corn receipts were larger than expected and while the market was firm at the start in sympathy with wheat, it eased off on general selling. Messages from scattered points indicate that farmers are not selling, although the roads generally are good. Initial quotations which were ⅛c higher to ½c lower, with May 70 to 70⅛, were followed by moderate declines.

The market continued its downward trend despite the strength in wheat and closed weak, with prices ¾c to 1¼c lower than the previous finish, with May 68⅞ to 69.

Oats showed strength at the start but eased off with other cereals. After starting unchanged to ⅛c higher, with May 45⅝, the market sagged.

Higher prices for hogs gave strength to provisions.

Reports of improvement in the export demand caused wheat to rally later, but the market became unsteady and fluctuated rapidly within a narrow range. The close was unsettled with prices one cent lower to ¾c higher including March at 1.68 to 1.68¼.

**TOLEDO GRAIN**
TOLEDO, Feb. 26—Wheat cash 1.84; Mar. 1.84; May 1.79.
Corn cash 72.
Oats cash 47.
Barley 76.
Rye, No. 2, 1.55.
Clover seed, prime cash, Feb. and Mar. 10.80; Apr. 9.60; Oct. 9.35.
Alsike, prime cash (1920) 15.00; Mar. 12.50.
Timothy, prime cash (1918) 2.60; (1919) 2.70; (1920) 2.75; Feb. and Mar. 2.75; Apr. 2.80; May 2.82½; July 3.15.

**CHICAGO GRAIN**
CHICAGO, Feb. 26—(CLOSE)—Wheat: Mar. 1.68; May 1.57.
Corn: May 68⅞; July 71¼.
Oats: May 44⅝; July 45⅝.

**CHICAGO PROVISIONS**
CHICAGO, Feb. 26—(CLOSE)—Pork: May 21.20.
Lard: May 12.15; July 12.52.
Ribs: May 11.45; July 11.82.

## LIVE STOCK MARKET

**CINCINNATI**

CINCINNATI, Feb. 26—Hogs: Receipts 3,500; steady; heavies 9.50 @ 10.50; packers and butchers 10.50 @ 10.75; medium 10.75 @ 11.00; stags 5.00 @ 6.00; heavy fat sows 6.00 @ 7.40; light shippers 11.00; pigs, 110 pounds and less, 8.00 @ 10.00.

Cattle: Receipts 300; steady; steers good to choice 8.00 @ 9.20; fair to good 6.10 @ 8.00; common to fair 4.50 @ 6.50; heifers good to choice 7.50 @ 8.50; fair to good 6.00 @ 7.50; common to fair 3.50 @ 6.00; cows, good to choice 6.00 @ 7.00; fair to good 13.50 @ 14.00; fair to good 11.00 @ 13.50; common and large 6.00 @ 10.00.

Sheep: Receipts 225; strong; good to choice 4.50 @ 5.50; fair to good 3.00 @ 4.50; common 1.50 @ 2.50; bucks 1.50 @ 4.00. Lambs strong and higher; good to choice 10.50 @ 11.00; fair to good 9.00 @ 10.50; seconds 8.00 @ 8.50; common 6.00 @ 7.00.

**CHICAGO**

CHICAGO, Feb. 26—Cattle Receipts 500; compared with week ago; beef steers steady to 25c higher; butcher cows and heifers 25c to 50c higher; canners steady; cutters 25c to 50c higher; bulls mostly 50c higher; veal calves mostly $1 higher; spots up more; stockers and feeders 25c higher; spots up more.

Hogs: Receipts 8,000; active, 15c to 25c higher than average; spots more; closing strong; top 10.15; bulk 200 pounds down 10.40 @ 10.70; bulk 220 pounds up 9.50 @ 10.25; pigs steady to higher.

Sheep: Receipts 10,000; today, receipts include 7000 direct; few sales; steady with Friday; compared with week ago; handy weight fat lambs 1.50 to 1.75 higher; sheep, yearlings and heavy lambs 2.00 to 2.25 higher; spots up more; feeder lambs $1 higher.

## PRODUCE MARKET

**CLEVELAND**

CLEVELAND, Feb. 26—Butter: Extra in tubs 57½ to 58; prints 58½ to 59; extra firsts 56½ to 57; firsts 37; seconds 45½ to 46.

Potatoes: New Bermudas 12.50.

Sweet potatoes: Delaware yellow, No. 1, 1.80 to 2.00.

**GASOLINE AND ALCOHOL**
CINCINNATI, Feb. 26—Alcohol, denatured, 63; 70 percent 38. Gasoline, tank wagon 28.

**SUGAR**
NEW YORK, Feb. 26—Sugar futures closed steady; sales 600 tons; Mar. 5.03; May 5.26; July 5.48; Sept. 5.66.

**COFFEE**
NEW YORK, Feb. 26—Coffee: Rio, No. 7, 6.9-16; futures closed steady; Mar. 6.23; Sept. 7.43.

**CLEARING HOUSE FIGURES**
NEW YORK, Feb. 26—The actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows that they hold $14,340,980 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is an increase of $2,618,610 from last week.

**COTTON**
NEW YORK, Feb. 26—Cotton futures closed steady; Mar. 11.50; May 12.02; July 12.45; Oct. 13.02; Dec. 13.28.
Spot cotton quiet; middling 11.80.

**LIBERTY BONDS**
NEW YORK, Feb. 26—Liberty bonds closed: 3½'s 91.08; first 4's 86.92 bid; second 4's 86.56; first 4¼'s 86.88; second 4¼'s 86.50; third 4¼'s 89.88; fourth 4¼'s 86.00; victory 3¾'s 97.96; victory 4¾'s 97.46.

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## Uncover A Plot Which Defrauded Mail Order House

CHICAGO, February 26. — Systematic frauds by which Montgomery, Ward & Co., mail order house, was defrauded of thousands of dollars through a conspiracy of employes and customers became known today through the arrest of Charles Steinbach, a messenger for the company, 18 years old, and three men who posed as customers.

Officials of the company say Steinbach understood the company's methods so well he was able to put through fraudulent orders bearing forged approval of sales managers, which were later made the basis of claims for refund by the supposed customers.

One agent of the ring, which officials believed they have uncovered, lived as far away as California, it was said. The fraud was operated for a long time, according to Carl R. Gray, Jr., member of the firm, until the company's checking system on orders disclosed that the shipments were sent to persons who had never paid for the goods. Company officials said the losses would total many thousands of dollars, but could not be definitely fixed without a complete check of accounts.

**Auto Hit Curbing**
An automobile driven by Walter Wilson suffered a broken right wheel when it collided with a curbing in East Portsmouth last night. Wilson says his steering wheel refused to work, which caused the accident. He lives on Rhodes avenue, New Boston.

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping, modern. 1412 11th St. 25tf

FOR RENT—5 rooms furnished or unfurnished. Bath and phone. Phone Boston 30-R. 25-3t

FOR RENT—Garage with street entrance. 1423 Mound. Phone 1334-R. 25-2t

FOR RENT — 5 room flat. Phone 1567-Y. 24-8tf

FOR RENT—3 room flat. 647 Front St. 24-3t

FOR RENT—4 room flat. Bath, gas, electricity. 525 2nd St. 2-24-tf

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms on main car line, $2.50 per week. Phone 378. 24-5t

FOR RENT—Four room flat with bath. Call 615 4th St. 24-3t

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, corner of 6th and Gay. 2-19-tf

FOR RENT—Six room house, 13 North Moreland Addition. $22.50 per month. Call 2136. James E. Hannah. 16tf

FOR RENT—Four room upstairs flat, water and gas. 1413 Mabert Road. Phone 2636. 16tf

FOR RENT—3 room flat, gas and water. Inquire 1306 High St. 22tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room. Bath and phone. 912 7th. 23-3t

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room. 631 3rd St. Phone 449-G. 23tf

FOR RENT—Front room, suitable for one or two gentlemen, modern conveniences, fine location. 1503 Fifth. 23-1tf

FOR RENT—2 light house keeping rooms, bath. Phone 1062-L. 1116 18th. 16tf

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms. 311 Offnere. 17tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, electric lights. Use of phone and bath. Phone 1928-X. 22tf

FOR RENT—Modern sleeping room. 718 Third. Phone 1174-G. 2-18-tf

## LOST

LOST—Bunch of keys between 5th and Washington or 6th and Court. Phone 95-Y. 25-2t

LOST—On Chillicothe street, brown purse containing $1.50 gold piece, some small change and keys. Leave at Winter Shoe Store. 25-1t

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# Real Boxing Show Monday Night

Everything is in readiness for the second boxing show the Portsmouth Athletic Club will put off in the Auditorium next Monday night with Joe Shepard, of Cincinnati, as the sturdy principals in the main bout of ten rounds.

They are in splendid shape and will no doubt give a splendid account of themselves. It will be their third meeting and each will be out to win and by an unquestionable margin. Both fighters will top off their training here as they will reach the city Sunday.

Al H. Bridwell will be the third man in the ring and his presence assures the fans that the scrappers must show real action as he will not tolerate any stalling or hugging tactics.

Much local interest is attached to the eight round semi-final, as it will bring Hi Fortner, of this city, and Joe Brennan, a clever fighter of Columbus, together. Fortner is a real boxer and no doubt will be heard from Monday night. He is a two handed fighter and is game as a pebble. His friends will be on hand to hurl verbal encouragement at him.

There will be two prelims, which will round out a corking good show one that should test the seating capacity of the Auditorium. Fans from all parts of Southern Ohio will be on hand. Shepard is a great favorite in Ironton and quite a few fans from that city will attend the classy show.

Of course you will be there. Let's go.

## SCOUT SCHEDULE

The schedule for the Boy Scouts basketball leagues for the coming week as follows:

**Bantam**

Monday, Feb.: 28—Troop 16 vs. Troop 15.

Tuesday, Mar. 1 — Troop 3 vs. Troop 5.

Friday, Mar. 4—Troop 11 vs. Troop 17.

Also Monday, Feb. 28—Troop 8 vs. Troop 11 at Franklin Avenue church.

Friday, Mar. 4—Troop 2 vs. Troop 9 at 7:30 at U. Brethren church.

**Junior**

Tuesday, March 1—Troop 12 vs Troop 17 at Wilhelmette Hall, 7:30.

Friday, Mar. 4—Troop 3 vs. Troop 5 at Evangelical church 7:30. Also Troop 9 vs. Troop 11, at 7:30 at United Brethren church.

**Boy Scout**

Monday, Feb. 28—Troop 3 vs. troop 8, Franklin Avenue church at 8:00.

Tuesday, Mar. 1—Troop 17 vs. troop 1, First Presbyterian church 7:30.

## Huntington Outclassed

The Charleston Hi basketball team ran all over Huntington Hi last night, the score being 27 to 13. The game was played in Huntington before an immense crowd. The Red and Blue team was completely outclassed.

# BOWLING

**MASONIC BOWLING LEAGUE**

No games scheduled.

**AURORA BOWLING LEAGUE**

No games scheduled.

**INDUSTRIAL BOWLING LEAGUE**

Team Standing

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Steel Plant | 11 | 1 | .917 |
| N. & W. | 11 | 1 | .917 |
| Drew | 7 | 5 | .583 |
| Vulcan Last | 5 | 7 | .417 |
| Excelsior | 6 | 9 | .400 |
| Times | 4 | 8 | .333 |
| Solvay | 4 | 8 | .333 |
| Masonic Specials | 1 | 8 | .111 |

The Times five put up a big fight in the Industrial Bowling League last night but they were no match for the Solvay team who captured two out of three games, winning the first by the narrow margin of three pins.

The team totals for the match were 2327 and 2225.

Baughman was the high man for the winners, toppling the pins for a mark of 545 while Roberts rolled best for the Times, registering a mark of 524.

| Times— | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Flynn | 141 | 142 | 140 | 423 |
| Coe | 135 | 180 | 143 | 458 |
| Blind | 135 | 135 | 135 | 405 |
| Blind | 135 | 135 | 135 | 405 |
| Roberts | 188 | 179 | 167 | 534 |
| Totals | 734 | 771 | 720 | 2225 |
| **Solvay—** | | | | |
| Baughman | 158 | 167 | 220 | 545 |
| Race | 128 | 155 | 198 | 481 |
| Rollins | 153 | 171 | 117 | 441 |
| Delemater | 124 | 125 | 135 | 384 |
| Quinn | 174 | 137 | 165 | 476 |
| Total | 737 | 755 | 835 | 2327 |

## Last Half Volley Ball Schedule

Following is the schedule for the last half of the Volley Ball League, beginning March 1 and ending March 26:

Tuesday, March 1—Selby Culls vs. Wholesalers; Doctors vs Wolves.

Wednesday, March 2—Invincibles vs H. S. Faculty; Standard Supply vs. Allies.

Thursday, March 3—Wholesalers vs. Excelsior; Bankers vs. Wolves.

Friday, March 4—Bearcats vs Allies; H. S. Faculty vs. Selby Culls.

Saturday, March 5—Invincibles vs. Standard Supply; Doctors vs. H. S. Faculty.

Monday, March 7—Wolves vs. Selby Culls; Bankers vs. Selby Vets.

Tuesday, March 8—Excelsiors vs Allies; Bearcats vs. Wholesalers.

Wednesday, March 9—Invincibles vs Doctors; H. S. Faculty vs. Standard Supply.

Thursday, March 10—Bankers vs. Allies; Selby Culls vs. Excelsiors.

Friday, March 11—Wolves vs. Bearcats; H. S. Faculty vs. Wholesalers.

Saturday, March 12—Invincibles vs. Selby Vets; Doctors vs. Standard Supply.

Monday, March 14—Wolves vs. Invincibles; Bankers vs. Wholesalers.

Tuesday, March 15—Selby Vets vs. Allies; Excelsiors vs. Standard Supply.

Wednesday, March 16—Doctors vs Bearcats; H. S. Faculty vs. Selby Vets.

Thursday, March 17—Wholesalers vs. Allies; Bankers vs. H. S. Faculty.

Friday, March 18—Selby Vets vs. Wolves; Standard Supply vs. Selby Culls.

Saturday, March 19—Invincibles vs. Bearcats; Doctors vs. Excelsiors.

Monday, March 21—Excelsiors vs. Invincibles; Bankers vs. Standard Supply.

Tuesday, March 22—Wolves vs. Wholesalers; H. S. Faculty vs. Allies.

Wednesday, March 23—Selby Vets vs. Bearcats; Selby Culls vs Doctors.

Thursday, March 24—Wolves vs. Excelsiors; Bankers vs. Invincibles.

Friday, March 25—Standard Supply vs Wholesalers; H. S. Faculty vs Bearcats.

Saturday, March 26—Allies vs Selby Culls; Doctors vs. Selby Vets.

## Big Game Tonight

Tonight the revamped Buckeyes of the Manley Athletic Association will clash with the Portsmouth College of Business quintet in the Wilhelmette hall at 8 o'clock.

Next Friday night the College team plays the Otway high school five at Otway. On next Saturday night the Otway boys and girls play the College boys and girls here.

## Jackson Winner

After 15 rounds of real fighting in Madison Square Garden last night, Willie Jackson was given the decision over his nearest rival, Johnny Dundee.

## Selby's Bowling League

In the Selby bowling league Friday night the Champs won three from the Directors and the Electrics took two out of three from the Office force. The Champs did not exert themselves and won hands down from the Directors, who seem to be on the losing side for good. The season has a few weeks to run and it is hoped they rally up one or two victories before the curtain closes the season. The Electrics started out like they were going to take all three but they lost the second by a margin of 105 pins, but they came back strong in the last game and won by nearly 100 pins. The scores:

| Directors— | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| H. E. Selby | 122 | 133 | 148 | 403 |
| C. J. Hauck | 92 | 118 | 122 | 332 |
| M. W. Selby | 147 | 168 | 121 | 436 |
| J. A. Burkel | 115 | 151 | 131 | 397 |
| P. E. Selby | 124 | 151 | 132 | 407 |
| Totals | 600 | 721 | 654 | 1985 |
| **Champs—** | | | | |
| Funk | 138 | 118 | 169 | 425 |
| Keller | 171 | 177 | 144 | 492 |
| Merrill | 130 | 144 | 124 | 398 |
| Williams | 138 | 169 | 93 | 400 |
| Bauer | 136 | 136 | 157 | 429 |
| Totals | 713 | 744 | 687 | 2144 |
| **Office—** | | | | |
| Fischer | 128 | 118 | 186 | 382 |
| Baker | 166 | 168 | 153 | 487 |
| Hauck | 122 | 157 | 164 | 443 |
| Freeman | 124 | 156 | 132 | 412 |
| Yost | 125 | 138 | 153 | 416 |
| Totals | 665 | 737 | 738 | 2140 |
| **Electrics—** | | | | |
| McGlone | 109 | 105 | 116 | 330 |
| Hehl | 213 | 122 | 187 | 522 |
| Simpson | 141 | 157 | 167 | 465 |
| Sheats | 178 | 120 | 138 | 436 |
| Stewart | 118 | 128 | 222 | 468 |
| Totals | 759 | 632 | 830 | 2221 |

## Want Tanks To Play Here

Carl Hyland, business manager of the James Dickey Post American Legion basketball five, has sent the following letter to William Brooks manager of the Ironton Tanks basketball five, the letter being in reply to the Ironton letter that the Tanks could not play the Legion five in Cannonville on account of lack of a proper basketball floor. The letter is as follows:

Mr. Wm. A. Brooks,
Ironton Tank Basketball Team,
Ironton, Ohio.
"Home of the Rusty Cannons."

Dear Sir: Thanks for your compliments in regard to our basketball arenas.

We realize that your village is in need of a bridge, also sufficient floor space to hold a basketball meet, therefore, we will play you in Portsmouth on March 26.

Kindly inform us regarding ... store-
Yours truly, ... fire-
CARL HY... man,
Business ... Bird;
The Ame... man, first;

P. S.—Realizing that ... in financial distress at ... we are kindly enclosing ... stamped envelop for r...

## Thé Demarests Stir A...

Mrs. Victoria Booth-Clibborn Demarest, who is to be the speaker at a three-weeks evangelistic campaign beginning March 6th, uniting Bigelow M. E. and First Presbyterian churches, is at present completing a two-weeks series of meetings in the First Methodist church South of Ashland, Ky., with her talented husband, Agnew Demarest, as manager in charge of the music.

That the meetings are proving very successful may be gathered from the Ashland Independent:

"At the evening service there was the largest audience ever assembled in the church auditorium. Rarely have the people of this vicinity had such a rare privilege as was theirs in hearing such wonderfully forceful, yet plain, simple gospel messages, brought by Mrs. Demarest, ... one of the Peace Conference. ... most attractive. A close contact with the President in his work, his thought, ... one may have ... failures. What are his ideas of Wilson's achievements and ... ing. Cultured ... is eventual place in history? ... c'led, Mrs. D ... the courtesy of The New York Evening Post, an exclusive ... to speak in a General Smuts will be published in The Times Wednesday ... conditions. WATCH FOR IT! ... that will su... no wonder ... room only! ... Convers... efforts of ... to be co... coming. ... Portsmo... the mo... the ev... church ... Satur...

## ...oes Smuts Think of ...s Efforts At Paris?

...ght Honorable Jan Christian Smuts, Premier of The ...th Africa served with President Wilson on the League of

## His Brother To Put Him Out Of His Misery

...ONTIAC, MICH., February ... 28.—Warren Branfield, 11 ... day years old, was detained by ... police here today, pending investigation into the killing in a ...oods near Farmington, yesterday, of his nine-year-old brother, ...lare. The older boy shot and ...illed his brother "to put him out ...f his misery," he said, after having accidentally wounded him while demonstrating his skill with a revolver.

According to Warren's statement to the sheriff, he fired the first shot in an effort to see how close he could come to his brother without hitting him. The younger lad turned at the shot, and was struck in the side. Warren then placed the muzzle against the prostrated child's head and pulled the trigger, killing him instantly. "I wanted to put him out of his misery; I didn't want to see him suffer," he said today.

**COMPLETE LONG FLIGHT**

DAYTON—Lieutenants J. R. VanSant and W. R. Wooster, who landed at Lancaster Saturday night, completed Washington-Dayton flight.

**NEW YORK BANKER DIES**

NEW YORK—Henry D. Lyman, 68, chairman of board of trustees of the American Surety Co., born in Parkman, Ohio, dead, following operation.

## Volley Ball

Team Standing

| Team | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Selby Culls | 40 | 5 | 889 |
| Selby Vets | 34 | 8 | 810 |
| Excelsiors | 25 | 14 | 641 |
| Wholesalers | 24 | 15 | 615 |
| High School Facu'ty | 20 | 16 | 556 |
| Bearcats | 19 | 17 | 528 |
| Invincibles | 20 | 19 | 513 |
| Wolves | 14 | 16 | 467 |
| Doctors | 12 | 24 | 333 |
| Bankers | 12 | 30 | 286 |
| Allies | 11 | 28 | 286 |
| Standard Supply | 7 | 33 | 175 |

## Sciotoville Be...

In their second elimination game at the Southeastern Ohio Basketball tournament at Ohio University at Athens Friday afternoon the Sciotoville basket ball five beat Corning 3... to 8. The Sciotoville five played ... fast game and at no time was in danger.

## Interclass Gar...

The interclass games in the high school gym Friday afternoon were close and exciting. The Sophomores beat the Juniors 14 to 9. The Freshmen won from the Seniors 10 to 7.

In the first game Ellesser and Foster starred for the winners, while Cunliffe starred for the Juniors. Floyers, guard, on the Freshmen team starred. He shot several baskets from near the foul line of the opponents. The victory of the lower classmen from the seniors ties them for first place honors with the Seniors. The Juniors are in third place and the Sophomores fourth. Next week the Freshmen play the Juniors and the ...

## P. H. S. Team Is Defeated

Sciotoville's high school gym was packed last night when the Sciotoville girls won a 16 to 11 game from the P. H. S. girls. The game was close and exciting, P. H. S. making five of her 11 points on free throws by Coburn. P. H. S. made only 3 field goals. Forward Kent was the star for the winners while Coburn played the best game for P. H. S. girls. The lineups:

The lineups and summary:

| Sciotoville | Pos. | Portsmouth |
|---|---|---|
| Beloat | LF | Coburn |
| Halstead | RF | Doll |
| Moore | C | Dr...uit |
| Kent | LG | C...court, |
| S...an | RG | read by |

Field Goals—Moore 3, ... stead 1. M. Selby 2, D...

Fouls—Kent 2, Cobur...

Substitutions—M. Se... Yaped for Doll.

All grocers sell ... Flour. Because ... it.

## ...s Bi...ilision

La... ...rge Elmer Wochiman, electrician, ...rd; Charles N. Yost, fireman, first, ...d Emerson Dale Waight, fireman, second.

The injured who are aboard the cruiser Birmingham, are:

D. M. McCaigo, waiter tender and Attorsi O. Burnside.

The collision, Admiral Rodman reported, occurred 13 miles southwest of Coiba Island.

## First Squad Leaves Tonight

CLEVELAND, Feb. 26—The first squad of the champion Cleveland Indians will leave here tonight for the spring training camp at Dallas, Texas, in charge of Coach Jack McCallister. The party will include Pitchers Caldwell, Coveleskie, Uhle and Clarke and Catchers O'Neill and Gillis. Pitchers Nelson Pott and Ted Odenwald will join the squad at St. Louis. The other batterymen will go direct from their homes.

The fielders will leave one week from today.

## Yank Recruits On Their Way

NEW YORK, Feb. 26—Five recruits of the New York Americans, the vanguard of 42 players the Yankee management has corralled for the 1921 gonfalon campaign, were on their way to spring training at Shreveport, La., today. The party will be augmented along the route, picking up men at Philadelphia and St. Louis and will arrive in camp Sunday night. Manager Huggins and his "first aides," Charlie O'Leary and Robert Connery, will be on hand to put the youngsters to work Monday morning.

**SPECIALS Friday And Saturday**

## Herman To ... Chance

Hundreds of ... the cost of living are affect... have reached the supreme court ... er courts.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28—The federal farm loan act was held constitutional today by the Supreme Court. This is the act under which land banks were established to extend loans to farmers.

Millions of dollars in loans to farmers have been held up pending a decision of the court in this case, which was brought by Charles W. Smith, a stockholder in the Kansas City Title and Trust Company, who sought an injunction to restrain that institution from investing its funds in bonds issued by the farm loan banks.

The act was attacked on the ground that congress was without constitutional authority to establish farm loan banks and to exempt their bonds from taxation. Justice Day, who rendered the opinion of the court, said the power of congress to establish banks had in a broad sense been upheld by the supreme court in the days of Chief Justice Marshall.

The court in sustaining federal court decrees dismissing injunction proceeding brought by Mr. Smith, also held that congress had the authority to exempt the bonds of any bank from taxation.

The court divided 6 to 2, Justices Holmes and McReynolds dissenting. Justice Brandeis took no part in considering the case. Justice Holmes and McReynolds held that the cause "should have been dismissed by the court as being solely within ... of the Missouri courts.

In anticipation of the decision the court the house on Saturday postponed until tomorrow a vote on a section of the sundry civil bill authorizing the treasury to purchase $200,000,000 worth of farm loan bonds. The supreme court's decision will permit the banks to go ahead with the sale of their bonds on the market and some congressional leaders do not regard it as necessary to make the proposed $200,000 appropriation.

**WASHINGTON, Feb. 28—Lower court decrees dismissing an indictment against L. C. Russell, charging him with having endeavored to influence the verdict of a juror in the trial of William D. Haywood and other members of the I. W. W., was set aside today by the supreme court.**

**WASHINGTON, Feb. 28—Lower court decrees refusing an injunction to the Detroit United Railway Company to restrain the city of Detroit from embarking in the construction of a city-owned system of street railways were sustained today by the supreme court.**

## Human Side Of Harding Revealed When He Addresses The Deaf, Dumb And Blind

BY ROBERT T. SMALL

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ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla. Feb. 26—The human side of Warren G. Harding was revealed when he appeared unannounced in the platform of the Florida state school for the blind, the deaf and the dumb. A few years ago this school would have been called a home, where its afflicted inmates might have lived the remainder of their lives in indolence and mental misery. But under the new order of things it is classified as a school and the young people attending it are preparing themselves to take an important and useful place in the affairs of the world.

When the head of the institution first came to the Harding headquarters and suggested that the president elect come and make a few remarks to the children, George Christian, Mr. Harding's secretary, pointed out that the demands upon the Senator in the closing days of his stay in Florida were so tremendous he doubted seriously if the visit to the school could be arranged. Remembering, however, that Mr. Harding has a second sister afflicted by blindness, Mr. Christian thought it would be a good plan for Dr. A. H. Walker, a principal of the school, personally to convey the invitation to the president-elect. In less than an hour after the interview had been arranged, Senator Harding was on his way to the school. He was accompanied only by Samuel T. Williamson, another correspondent. The visit was so impromptu that Mrs. Harding herself was not notified and afterward expressed regret she had been unable to attend.

The scene at the school was one not easily to be forgotten. Less than a mile outside of this ancient city, the school, a modern structure of Spanish architecture, with white walls and red

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PENNY ANTE — A Quiet Evening At Home

# Town Literally Shot Off Face Of The Map

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Feb. 28—Governor John J. Cornwell, accompanied by Governor-elect E. F. Morgan, who succeeds him in office on March 4, yesterday visited and inspected the working of the Willis Branch Coal Company in Fayette county, and the surrounding village of Willis Branch, where much heavy gun fighting took place February 19, and upon their return to Charleston announced that the town resembled having been "literally shot off the face of the map."

The trip was made by the governor and his successor in response to a request from the Willis Branch company for additional armed protection. The governor-elect declined to say what he intended to do about the case after assuming office, but he made this comment:

"It is inconceivable that such conditions could exist in this day and age."

Governor Cornwell, however, described conditions there more in detail.

"Its citizens have abandoned it," he said, referring to the village, "leaving personal effects, furniture and livestock behind. With the exceptions of half famished dogs, cats and chickens which wander about the streets and a squad of state police on duty near the station, the town is devoid of life. The company store, office, post office, mine foreman's home and 65 of the remaining 67 cottages are riddled with rifles bullets. The condition of other cottages shows they have been burned or wrecked with dynamite."

The governor said he learned that "every week for the past year the town had been shot up."

Men who work in neighboring mines he added, are blamed by the coal operators for these attacks. Until February 19, the governor said, state police on duty told him a small number of miners and their families remained the village and worked in the mines. The cottages of these, he said, had been reenforced with sheet iron and sand bag barricades. For the better protection of their families they dug cellars where the women and children would remain until the nightly shooting ceased.

Reports of the fusilade of February 19, which filtered in indicated that one man was slain. The next day, however, the small body of miners and their families made a hasty retreat to other parts.

The wreckage in the village was equalled by the havoc done the mine working, said the governor, and this destruction was further described by William McKell, the general manager of the Willis Branch company.

"Miners in this whole sections," he said, "struck September 1, 1919. The operators generally yielded to the demands of the workers, but this company decided to make a finish fight of it, and it has been a fight ever since. Poles carrying electric current to the mine wer blown up. Charges of dynamite wrecked both inclines. The hoist house was broken into and its machinery destroyed. The tipple was fired and badly damaged. On February 19 a sub-station was blown up by a charge of dynamite."

## Billy-Butt-In

THE TIMES' WEATHER MAN

Lots o' folks are demandin' extra fine weather for the inaugural, but Yours Truly's turned that over to the higher-ups who run the weather over in the capital. Here's for tomorrow:

**OHIO—Cloudy tonight. Probably light rain or snow near Lake Erie. Tuesday generally fair. Not much change in temperature.**

**KENTUCKY—Fair tonight and probably Tuesday. Warmer tonight.**

**The extremes in local temperature today were: High, 35; low, 41.**

# The Portsmouth Daily Times

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## CRIME PREVENTION

IT is an old saying that if you would reform a child, it is necessary to begin with his grandfather. This may be placing more than the warranted premium on heredity. But the problem of instructing in obedience to the regulations of society has been greatly emphasized by the prevalence of crimes of all kinds, a large percentage of which are committed by persons who are betwen the ages of 18 and 25 years.

The training of children cannot be left entirely to the public schools, as so many parents show a disposition to do, but the obligation rests upon the parents and society in general. Teachers may set them a good example of citizenship, but 30 hours a week, nine months in the year, will not offset bad influences from other sources. If boys and girls are to be saved from careers of lawlessness, there must be greater co-operation between the authorities and parents, especially in the cases of children who show a disposition to disregard the regulations which have been provided for the good of themselves and others.

One of the principal causes of crime is the freedom that is given to many boys and girls to roam the streets until late hours. The curfew plan has been tried by many municipal authorities, but it has not been found effective because many parents will not co-operate in the efforts to keep children from the streets. Juvenile courts have been established and accomplish much good in handling cases of delinquents. But the most important work is in preventing boys and girls from reaching the stage in disobedience which makes it necessary to take them into court.

## STANDING BY A FRIEND

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K. of P. Notice

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## Prohibition's First Birthday

By Frederic J. Haskin

NEW YORK CITY, February 26.—With prohibition a year old in this city, it remains a subject of leading interest and of hot debate. The Wets claim that prohibition has failed in New York, and the Drys retort that it has succeeded elsewhere, and that the future belongs to the 18th Amendment.

It is generally admitted that New York is about wide open. With the exception of the large hotels, you can buy drinks in nearly all the old places that operated before the 18th Amendment went into effect, as well as in a large number of new places. Saloons are again flourishing all over the city; the foreign table d' hotes have reinstated "red ink" on their menus, while the pocket flask has become ubiquitous.

If you are wealthy, you carry a neat leather-covered flask with a silver, initialed top, and if you are a proletarian you carry a plain glass bottle, often labeled with some degree of truth—"Poison." Sometimes the flask may be empty, but at least you are keeping up appearances.

The manufacture of home brew has taken a rapid decline since it has become so easy to secure supplies from the large bootlegging enterprises. Delivery wagons, carrying huge supplies of strong liquor for home consumption, dash carelessly about the town under the very noses of traffic cops, and a case of whiskey is dropped off at your door as nonchalantly as if it were a bottle of milk.

The assortment of liquors is not as varied as it was in the old days of unrestricted traffic, the quality is not so good, and the price is more than doubled. But these drawbacks do not seem to dim the public's keen delight in securing something it isn't supposed to have. What the liquor market lacks in variety, moreover, the patent medicine market is almost certain to make up. Thus, the cocktail has again become a popular favor since the passage of a patent medicine which [illegible] fair grade of ver-

[illegible] wn and Out

population of Man- [illegible] hospital [illegible] ital of [illegible] alco- [illegible] ember [illegible] the [illegible]

liquor.

**Prohibitionists Optimistic**

New York prohibitionists, moreover, refuse to admit that prohibition has so far proved unsuccessful in New York. They point out that liquors of all sorts and descriptions valued at $2,750,000 have been seized by the authorities and stored in impregnable warehouses; that hundreds of persons have been arrested for violations of the Volstead Act, which has proved an efficacious warning to other would-be violators, and that the restrictions on the withdrawal of liquor are ever becoming more rigid. All of these things must, in time, they assert, have their effect.

"All these reports about New York being wide open are greatly exaggerated," declared one such optimistic Pro the other night, as he went to dine with an Anti. "Of course, it is only to be supposed that some people would attempt to break the law—especially those of the underworld—but they are being successfully combatted. Saloons have gone, and the distribution of liquor has been practically stopped, except at prohibitive prices."

As the Pro hurled this opinion forcefully at his companion, the two debaters turned into dimly-lighted East Houston Street, where there are certain famous cafes. On the pavement before the dingy, picturesque doors of the two of these strode a tall, watchful policeman.

"There, you see," said the Pro, "the police are everywhere on the job. Conditions are better than you think."

"Yes, so I see," said the Anti complacently, "and, now let's go in and have a drink. The same policeman was here the other night, and we had a large coffee pot full of Ghianti and a really delightful cordial."

It must not be supposed from the foregoing that the United States revenue officers who are patrolling New York are not at all vigilant in enforcing the law; it is simply that the task is altogether too much for them. As soon as they put an end to the liquor traffic in one place, it breaks out in another. In spite of the fact that 25 revenue agents constantly patrol the St. Lawrence River, bootlegging continues practically unchecked in that vicinity—by boat, by train and by automobile. One bootlegger, who was caught and arrested the other day, admitted that he could get as much liquor as he wanted across the Canadian border.

Yet in spite of all this mass of failure piled up by the Volstead law, prohibitionists, on the whole, refuse to be discouraged. The United States may never be fully "dry", they say, but prohibition will never be repealed.

While it may not be successful in this generation, or even in the next, it will officially, is their claim.

Ford Mizner throughout the country [illegible] ally growing stronger for [illegible] said Prohibition Com- [illegible] Portsmouth, [illegible] ramer, in an address here [illegible] "Despite evidences of [illegible] in some sections, the [illegible] whole is behind the [illegible] the constitution. New [illegible] east cannot be consid- [illegible] the attitude of the [illegible] and in general west [illegible] country is dry."


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## New-York-Day-By-Day

BY O. O. McINTYRE

NEW YORK, Feb. 26—The amazing popularity of the five o'clock tea continues. In the hotel district a constant stream of fashionably dressed women and men drift to the soft-lighted rooms where tables are half hid behind palms. There is dreamy music, but little dancing. In fact the smartest places have banned afternoon dancing.

Women come alone, in little groups and with male escorts. It is interesting to O. Henry's character, was to the tables are fashion sketchers who go each day to limn the latest foible in dress. Elderly men, with a pink carnation in their button-hole, bring a bevy of beauties.

Into one tea room the other afternoon there came a young girl, who like O. Henry's character, was to the manner born. She had the appearance of being just from Wellsley or some other fashionable school. She sat alone and rarely looked about. When she had finished her tea she lighted a cigarette, puffed it awhile, paid her check and departed.

The head waiter told me afterward that she was a female detective whose job it was to spot the smooth crooks who prey on women in the tea rooms. The theatrical folk are tea-room habitues. They are indulging in tea and toast instead of dinner so that they may enjoy the late evening meal after the performance.

Of course, the cafe men are pleased with the growth of the afternoon tea habit. A maitre de hotel told me in a moment of easy confidence that he had figured it out and found that there was $30 profit in a pound of tea. This stops up some of the loss caused by prohibition.

The man who invents some haven for abandoned razor blades for Manhattan cliff dwellers will be performing a service that should result in grateful citizens building a monument in his honor. I have slid them under the carpet, dropped them in vases and behind furniture until my apartment is almost steel armored. It recalls the story of Harry Leon Wilson, who was coming East one spring and stopped over at the Grand Canyon. At his first view of it he exclaimed: "Gee, what a bully place to throw razor blades!"

Discourtesy always proves a boomerang. When young John McK. Bowman was trying to get a foothold in the hotel business in New York he had a letter to the manager of a large hotel. He took it there several times and finally the letter was sent in. But after awhile Mr. Bowman was told that the manager could not see him. He didn't get the letter of introduction back and as it was valuable to him he wrote a letter asking for it. It was never answered. When he became a power in the hotel world one of the hotels he purchased was this hotel. His first official act was to fire the manager. He was not doing it as a matter of petty revenge. He merely figured that a man who was so discourteous had no business being in the hotel game.

Flasks are now being bought in greater quantities than ever before. A window trimmer in a down town leather goods and glassware shop has joined the scores who are forcing a bit of satire out of the situation. On a window card, placed beside a display of flasks he wrote:

Step Inside.
We have flasks for Water
—And everything.

## The Martin

What's become o' th' old "Welcome" door mat? Ther's lots o' things t' overcome an' live down, but how anybody kin face th' world after their love letters have been read in court is what gits us.

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## DOC KOKO'S KOLUM

**Votes for Women!**

There was a dame in our town,
She was so wondrous wise
She trip'ed-crossed her ballot—to
Her own intense surprise.
And when she found what she had done,
She saw her duty plain;
She checked each bloomin' candidate,
And scratched him out again!
—Florence Hutchins McLain in Cartoons Magazine.

**Mind Easily Made Up**

"You'll find that he holds tenaciously to his views on important matters."

"I'm aware of it; it's months since he first told me he couldn't pay what he owes me and today he is of the same opinion still."

**We'll Leave It To Dad**

"Papa, where is Atoms?"

"Atoms? I don't know, my boy. You mean Athens probably."

"No, I mean Atoms—the place where everybody is blown to."

**Should Have Known Better**

"What did you do with that man you caught dealing off the bottom of the deck?"

"Committed him to the asylum," remarked Cactus Joe. "Anybody who would try a trick like that in Crimson Gulch dont leave enough doubt over his sanity to be worth arguin' over."

**That's Right**

"Whenever anybody is ill at our house we always call in the doctor right away," said a man to his neighbor.

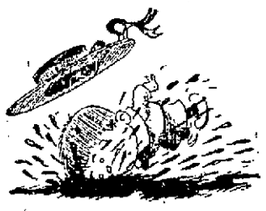
"Don't you wait a day or two to see how things are going to turn out?"

"No, siree. The cemeteries today are filled with people who weren't sick enough to call in a doctor."

**No Time For That**

Father (to Sammy, coming home in a bedraggled condition)—Great Scot! how you look!

Sammy—Yes, pa, I fell in a mud hole.



Father—What! and with your new pants on.

Sammy—Yes, I didn't have time to take them off.

**All Mouth**

The weary customer had dropped off to sleep in the barber's chair. The stubby-beard artist made valiant attempts to proceed, but eventually hail to own himself beaten.

"Excuse me, sir," said he, gently shaking the man in the chair, "but would you mind waking up? I can't shave you while you are asleep."

"Can't shave me while I'm asleep?" exclaimed the victim, with a wondering expression. "Why not?"

"Because," explained the barber, as softly as possible, "when you fall into a slumber your mouth opens so wide that I can't find your face."

**Wise Jottings**

Bachelors are the only men who think they know it all.

Fortunate is the owner of a mule who has no kick coming.

If a man is your friend he doesn't have to tell you so.

Charity is a cloak that covers a multitude of amateur theatrical performances.

Vanity and hypocrisy are the parents of prudery.

All men are a little lower than the angels, and the majority a good deal more so.

Once in a while a man achieves fame in this world without making any unnecessary fuss about it.

**Must Have Been Heavy**

A country housewife of good intentions but with little culinary knowledge decided to try her hand at cake making. The result was somewhat in the heavy side, and, after offering it to the various members of the household she threw it to the ducks in disgust.

A short time afterward two boys tapped at her door.

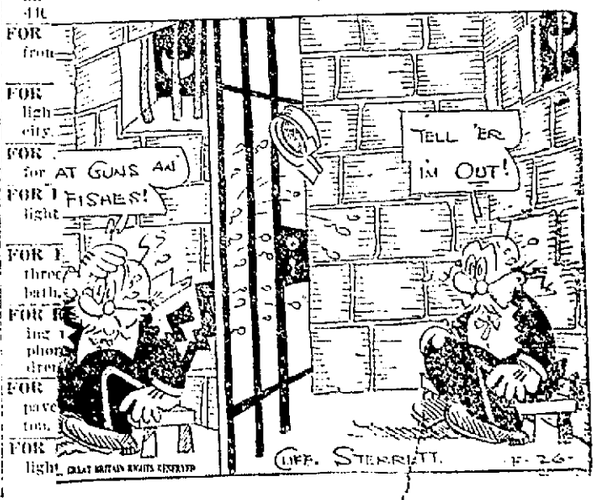
"Say, missus," they shouted, "your ducks have sunk."

**Wonder Why**

Wife—The doctor was very particular about knowing what we have to eat.

Husband—Wonder why? Does he expect us to invite him to dinner?

BY CLIFF STERRETT




## TOPICS OF THE TIMES

By W. G. SIBLEY

The Sibley Service, Gallipolis, Ohio

**Tree Values**

Five shade trees in Salem, Mass., were killed by illuminating gas that escaped from defective mains. A jury awarded the city $1,000 from the gas company for the damage done—a just verdict.

A tree has property value. It is an asset on a lot or beside a sidewalk. When it has been destroyed ten, twenty, possibly fifty or more years of growth is forever lost, unless it is cut for some necessary purpose. If a shade tree, there is loss of comfort and beauty for all who pass that way.

Many men are wholly unconscious of what a tree represents. They have no eye for its beauty, no regard for its utility, no sense of its values. We have seen majestic trees cut down because their owner wanted a bare lawn. Open grass plots have their place in the schemes of landscape gardeners, but to destroy a group of forest trees, to lay low their majesty, to conform to an artificial plan has always seemed a wicked slaughter to us.

**Prayer As a Power**

Bishop Coadjutor Reese of Southern Ohio, in an address at Boston last week, declared prayer "the source of all creative effort," and attributed Lincoln's serenity amidst disturbing alarms and public excitements to his habit of seeking strength and guidance on his knees.

"Peace," said Bishop Reese, "is the product of right relationships, and this you gain through prayer, which is the recognition of your relation to God." The power of prayer is conceded by those who never pray, because of its close relation to suggestive therapeutics. Unquestionably it adds to a man's moral force. The benefit of seeking through prayer to "get right with God," even for those who have little faith or hope, cannot be denied. The man of the world who makes no religious professions, never goes to church, and cares nothing for theology, will surely grasp a valuable and strengthening asset if he adopts the habit of prayer.

President Wilson leaves a phrase for the public which will pass into common speech by describing a stupid man as "a simple bungalow, with no upper story whatever."

**Dislike For Family Virtues**

One of the abhorrent characteristics of Soviet and Bolshevist government and propaganda is its instinctive hatred of the family as the basic institution of society. This trend toward degeneracy is observed in socialistic and other radical organizations. The men who seek revolution and the overthrow of existing governments want no family ties to bind them, neither a wife nor children. This fact alone trumpets to normal, intelligent men and women their utter unfitness to rule.

The Soviet laws in Russia make no distinction between marriage and free love, so far as descent is concerned, grants divorce to any husband or wife who wants it, such a desire being held sufficient. The Bolshevist government dared not go absolutely to its ultimate purpose of abolishing marriage, but approaches it by legalizing all sorts of illicit relations between men and women. Marriage is to have no support in Russia, the family is gradually to go out of existence, and free, transient and wholly irresponsible relations between the sexes are to become the rule, if Soviet government continues.

Upon the family rests the stability of all enlightened modern government. Honorable wedlock, the home, and the pure influences of virtuous family life are the sturdiest pillars of justice and righteousness that support any government fit to exist. The labor union (Soviet) government of Russia is hostile to all of them. That fact alone is sufficiently damning, to say nothing of its hatred of all religion.

**An Indian Scientist**

The strange beliefs of Sir Jagadis Chandra Bose of India, have excited keen interest in the western world. His belief that plants have feeling, that they suffer under certain conditions, that their life and death are essentially the same as animal life and death, have been sufficiently startling to people who have always believed a flower, a bush, or a tree as insensate as dirt, rock or water.

In his investigations this Indian has used special instruments of his own invention which are amazing learned men in London, where he is now working. He has what he calls a crescograph, that "magnifies 10,000 times more powerfully than the most powerful microscope." The statement is now seriously made that he has succeeded in magnification fifty million times! He has learned that a contractile spasm exactly like that in a human being at the instant of death, takes place in a plant when its life expires.

Who knows that we may not at some time learn that even the rock-ribbed hills have, or did have, pulsing life? Great microscopes, like great telescopes, reveal many things.

## Questions AND Answers

(Any reader can get the answer to any question by writing The Portsmouth Daily Times Information Bureau, Frederic J. Haskin, Director, Washington, D. C. This offer applies strictly to information. The Bureau cannot give advice on legal, medical and financial matters. It does not attempt to settle domestic troubles, nor to undertake exhaustive research on any subject. Write your question plainly and briefly. Give full name and address and enclose two cents in stamps for return postage. All replies are sent direct to the inquirer.)

Q. Will an electric light consume more electricity if kept burning steadily for an hour, or if turned off and on repeatedly? M. C. R.

A. The amount of electricity consumed is measured by the exact time the light burns. Power is not consumed by the action of starting or stopping the flow of the current.

Q. What is considered the busiest corner in New York? I. M. R.

A. Basing the computation on the number of vehicles passing in 12 hours, Columbus Circle is the busiest place in New York City, with a total of 39,210; while the corner of Broadway and 42nd St. is second with 19,650.

Q. Where is the capital of Australia? J. W. H.

A. The temporary capital of Australia is Melbourne, Victoria. The capital is to be located at Canberry as soon as the town is ready for occupancy.

Q. Please give origin and meaning of Ozark. W. C.

A. The name "Ozark" is derived from the French words "Aux arcs" meaning "with bows." The term is descriptive of the Indians that inhabited that part of the country.

Q. How many gas masks were manufactured in the United States? A. B. R.

A. The War Department says that prior to the signing of the Armistice the United States manufactured 5,250,000 gas masks, 4,000,000 of which were sent overseas.

Q. How many gallons of gasoline can be obtained from 1,000 cubic feet of natural gas? R. R. H.

A. The Bureau of Mines says that gas containing one-half gallon of gasoline per 1,000 cubic feet is considered sufficiently rich to be worked if there is a large supply. The richest gas reported to the Bureau of Mines contains 8 gallons of gasoline to 1,000 cubic feet of gas.

Q. What is meant by "sacrosanct?" I have seen it used several times lately. G. I. T.

A. As an adjective the word means sacred or inviolable. As a noun, that which is most holy or sacred.

Q. Please publish a paragraph on the Iron Crown of Lombard. A. L. S.

A. The old crown of the Lombards is still preserved in the Church of St. John the Baptist at Monza. It is made of 6 pieces and adorned with 22 jewels, 26 golden roses and 24 cameels. Inside is a circle of iron believed to be formed from a nail used in the Crucifixion. It is brought from Palestine by the Empress Helena, given by Pope Gregory I to the Lombard Princess Theodelinda. The crown was used in crowning the Lombard kings and the German emperors as kings of Italy. Napoleon used it at Milan in 1805 and the Emperor Ferdinand I in 1838. It was carried off by the Austrians in 1859, but restored to Monza in 1856.

Q. Did George Washington see the city of Washington built? A. H.

A. General and Mrs. Washington often sat in a little summer house erected in front of the mansion at Arlington, which belonged to Mrs. Washington. From this point of vantage they could overlook the building of the City of Washington.

TERRIBLE TESSIE -:- By Hal Probasco